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Coffee County BOE approves personnel recommendations from superintendent

by Linda Hodge, Editor

In a special meeting of the

were recommended and approved for voluntary transfer:

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Mike Davis - fifth and sev-

approved several personnel rec- Brockton High School to that of were recommended and acceptommendations made by business education teacher on a ed:

renews handed to faculty mem- from her position as special edu- ences teacher at Zion Chapel bers. She did tell board mem- cation teacher/speech patholo- School take care of some additional teacher/speech pathologist for Kinston School personnel matters. grades preschool through 12 at • Sam Dean as assistant foot-

The personnel matters Zion Chapel School

Certificated Personnel

teacher at Kinston School Zion Chapel School • Janelle Glass - first grade • Carpentry/Career Technical Elementary School

 Bobbie Barnes - Spanish School New Brockton High School retirements were recommended • Sandy Reeves - first grade and accepted: teacher at New Brockton • Lou Ann Bryan - special

• Shasta Arnett - first grade | when flowers are in full

teacher at Zion Chapel School | their passion. Next week, • Gina Price - ARFI Reading | gardening will be the cen-The following employees' nation as national garden

resignations were recommended | week will be celebrated.

English teacher at New Mayor James Grimes Brockton High School signed last Wednesday • Alaric S. Castleberry - band | May 25, signed a procladirector at New Brockton High | mation officially recog-

 Charis Granger Wallace - | National Garden Week. math teacher at Kinston School The proclamation was * Justin Jones - remediation | presented to the mayor for teacher/coach at New Brockton | Club. High School

Coffee County Board of from his position as a carpen- enth grade math remediation Education Tuesday, May 31, try/career technical teacher on a teacher at Zion Chapel School board members unanimously 10-month contract at New The following employments

Superintendent Dr. Linda 9 1/2 month contract at New Julie Norris as English Brockton High School pending teacher at Zion Chapel School Although the school system his approval with the State . Tonita Bentley as Spanish did have some resignations, Dr. Department of Education teacher at Zion Chapel School Ingram said there were no non- • Transfer Karen W. Pettry • Josh Peters as social sci-

bers most likely there will be a gist at New Brockton • Josh Peters as an athletic need for another called meeting Elementary School to that of coach at Zion Chapel School either next week or the next to special education • Sam Dean as math teacher at

ball coach, head girls junior approved by the board during The following teaching units high and varsity basketball



Tuesday's called meeting were recommended and coach and girls junior high softapproved to be closed: ball coach at Kinston School ing as Superintendent Dr. Linda Ingram and architect Carla Young presented options and ideas for var-• Title 1 remediation class at • Brook Cavanaugh as ious roofing and renovation projects. Early in the meeting, board members approved a bid for the shin-The following teachers were Kinston School English teacher as New gle roof project at Zion Chapel School. Later on, the focus turned to the metal roofs for the school's recommended and approved for • Title 1 remediation class at Brockton High School gym and the elementary building. In looking at the gym project, Ingram said a need exists to enlarge continued service status:

New Brockton High School

Daphne Cook as ARI the bathrooms for that building. She said the roofing project, forced by damages from a hail storm ear-• Carli Linton - kindergarten • Title 1 remediation class at regional reading coach trainer to lier in the year, might be a good time for the school system to consider going ahead and extending the be located at New Brockton building's roof a bit to allow for the bathrooms to be enlarged. As for the elementary building, Ingram said enrollment is up at the school and there might be a need to extend this building to allow for more teacher at Kinston School program at New Brockton High The following employee's classrooms to be added. With drawings in hand, Young pointed out several different factors to be conrequest for a leave of absence sidered with this project. Board members discussed several different options for the elementary project teacher at Kinston School and The following employees' was recommended and giving Young an idea of some things they do and do not want to see happen. Above, Young (standing) holds one of the many drawings she presented during Tuesday's meeting to help support the explana-Please See BOE, Page 12 tion of project ideas. Board member Jimmy Clark (left) listens while Dr. Ingram (left center) and Young answer a question presented by board chairman Charles Walker.

• Staci Rountree - social studies teacher at New Brockton | Mayor proclaims National Garden Week for Elba | Coffee County Commission conducts routine meeting

It's that time of year teacher at Zion Chapel School bloom and gardeners • Joni Smith - fifth grade | enjoy the sweet smell of ter of attention across the

The City of Elba will be • Ashley Nelson Hall - no exception as Elba nizing June 5-11, 2005 as

and physical education signing by members of Elba's Azalea Garden ers advocate the importance of all creatures, help hide a drain pipe.

Paul Marsh - remediation | asked the citizens of Elba to acknowledge the Mayor Grimes was joined for the proclama- needs to be "cleaned up or county did several years ago and physical education importance of gardening and the numerous contion signing by three members of the Azalea something." He said it is on the grade the road to a further point vegetables, foliages and flowers.

large and small, that share the world and their Tindell said the fence has some former employees about In signing the proclamation, Mayor Grimes roles in a balanced and productive ecology. deteriorated over the years and the road, and they indicated the

National Garden Week officially is promoted | replace it. The following employees The proclamation also recognized that garden- by the National Garden Clubs Inc.

teacher/coach at Kinston School | tributions of gardeners. He agreed that gardeners Garden Club. They included (from left) Betty | road's right-of-way, and the than it is currently graded. • Kerri G. Anderson - math seek to add beauty, splendor, fragrance and Cox, president; Carol Jackson, secretary; and landowner is requesting the He recommended the county teacher at New Brockton High | nutrition to life through the growing of herbs, Mary Young, longtime club member.

minutes with no old or new the road be graded to about 300 feet in front of the mobile home. business on the agenda. County engineer Randy Dalrymple said the area has

its regular bimonthly meeting on about three years ago. He Monday, May 23, in less than 30 said that resident has requested Tindell presented commission- not been graded for many years. ers with photographs of a fence He offered a motion to honor put up some years ago by the the resident's request. The county on County Road 617. motion received a second from He said the fence is a semi- Commissioner Tom Grimsley. privacy fence, and based on Commissioner J.L. Weeks

by Linda Hodge, Editor Dalrymple brought attention to a matter on County Road 621

The Coffee County (a dirt road) in which he said a

Commission began and ended resident placed a mobile home

information he could attain, it asked for an update on this type

seems the county put it up to of road maintenance.

county either repair the fence or return to grading to the point it Tindell recommended the Commissioner Bernest

county clean the fence. Commissioner Doug neer's recommendation. Dalrymple said the fence cur- An amendment to the motion by Linda Hodge, Editor

Homeland Security grants since rently is an eyesore, and he was provided to follow Tindell's offered a motion to replace it.

upgrade security at the county cleaned.

are for this year's hurricane seafrom the DA's office.

had within the past 20 years. Brooks agreed with the engi-Coffee County conducted its While most of that money has However, the motion died for involved stopping at pecan trees. The amendment was

> Dalrymple. Next, the vote on the original motion as amended passed with all voting in favor except Dalrymple.

In other business, commissioners: * approved a motion to allow Tindell to send out bids for

motor grader blades. · Dalrymple commended everyone involved with the renovation work done to the com-

munity room. He said the room looks a lot better. Commissioner Linda Westbrook asked about the reward for the capture of those responsible for the recent bridge burnings, but she was told no word had been received yet

Commissioner Robert Stephens was out of town and unable to attend the meeting. The next meeting of the Coffee County Commission will be Monday, June 13, at 9 a.m. in the community room of the county complex in New

ELBA DEPARTMENT HONORED The Elba Police Department was recently honored by the National Committee for Employer Support of the Guard and Reserve. Glen Dunlap, center, is shown presenting the certificate to Elba Police Chief Freddie Hanchey. Looking on is City Clerk Wayne Grantham. Dunlap explained that Elba was getting the distinction due to high praise from department employees who have been called to active military duty. The employees praised the department for continued individual and strong family support during their military deployment.

County holds annual LEPC meeting

annual Local Emergency gone to Homeland Security, he lack of a second. Planning Committee (LEPC) said this year the stakeholders The discussion ended with an approved with all commissionmeeting Monday evening, May agreed to use some of the funds to agreement for the fence to be ers voting in favor except

Larry Walker, deputy director courthouses. of the Coffee County Emergency Tallas also told those in atten-Management Agency, told pre- dance that the county's Multisented a report regarding the Jurisdictional Mitigation Plan number of chemical spills/releas- received FEMA approval on es from the past 12 months. Feb. 28th.

There were six spills during Pete McGough, regional directhe year with the majority of tor for the Alabama Emergency those being diesel fuel spilling Management Agency, attended onto roadways following traffic the meeting and said predictions

John Tallas, director of the son to be more active than last Coffee County Emergency year. He provided information on Management Agency, said the the Alabama Hurricane Workshop county has received \$381,000 in to be held June 23rd and 24th.

Area Happenings

Shelley Elliard, in the Church of

God In Christ (COGIC) in Elba.

EDITORIAL

Our long track record at the newspaper includes photographing uniform and our military veter- housing allowances. It also Act. This legislation included a et funds cost-of-living increases more wrecks and other scenes of violence than any average person should have to witness in three lifetimes. Many people get hardened to tragic scenes with such repeated occurrences. We have never reached that point in life and hopefully never will. In reflect upon their spite of all these years of exposure, it is easy for us to get a very sick feeling when there is a young person, especially a child freedom. Congress involved. That was true recently at the wreck which took the life has done much in of three year old Jeremiah 'Lil Man' Hooks. Rescue personnel the last month to indicated when they left for the hospital with him that his condition was not good. Then when one of the little girls asks, "will and former servicemy momma have to go the the hospital?" you have to wonder members as well as what exactly is right to say to a child when you really don't know their fallen comthe ultimate end. It wasn't sure at the time that mother would be rades. From approvalive when she was finally extracted from the overturned car. It ing increased pay for hardship pay from major veterans' health facility care and benefits. The recent was a given that she would at best be going to the hospital. All our soldiers to passing \$300 to \$750 a month. construction by 33 percent, and actions by Congress represent we did say to that child was to reassure her that those people enhanced benefits for those On the heels of the defense it maintains the partnership real progress in this ongoing working with her mother were real good and would do all they who no longer wear our mili-bill's passage, last Thursday the between the VA and states for effort. could to help her. It seemed to temporally satisfy a very trauma- tary uniform, Congress stands

Newsweek magazine is still smarting from having to retract a May has been a significant story which sparked several killings in the Middle East. Muslims month for our military and vetmarched, demonstrated, killed, etc., over a Newsweek report that an American soldier had been disrespectful to a copy of their bible. Newsweek later said they couldn't prove the story was true. A few days ago we saw an editorial cartoon somewhere wondering why these demonstrators didn't get equally upset on 9/11 or several other times when extremist bombed American 9/11 or several other times when extremist bombed American own legislation to greatly institutions or airplanes and actually killed innocent people. We expand military death benefits. agree with that question as far as it went but could add to it ques- The Emergency Wartime tions about feelings on the continuing killing of their own coun- Supplemental, which passed the trymen (and little children), sometimes simply because they hap- House and Senate in early May, pened to be in the marketplace, church or wherever, when the raised the military combat death loosely placed bombs exploded. The bombs are apparently put gratuity from \$12,240 to there just to kill, totally disregarding any respect for human life. \$100,000. It also boosted the Now those are the people who need to be demonstrated against. maximum coverage for

Tuesday morning, just before noon, Elba finally got a little show- Insurance (SGLI) from er of rain. As it was ending we walked out the front door of the \$250,000 to \$400,000, with the office and just stood in awe. The sun was shinning on the land- government guaranteeing the scape (and clouds) just right and it was a beautiful site to behold. first \$150,000. This only lasted a few minutes before the dark clouds complete- Just last week, the U.S. ly blanketed the sky again, greatly cutting the light and much of House passed the 2006 National

Elba Police Report

The Elba Police Department, stage - 6.59 feet (7:00 a.m.); beginning Monday, May 23, Routine activity. incidents: three for theft of prop- FRIDAY, MAY 27 - Criminal Short-term Training

the week were as follows: ten St. (10:58 p.m.).

for not wearing a seat belt, one for a suspended driver's license, SATURDAY, MAY 28 - Coffee tact Tami Roper at (334) 556two for improper headlights, County EMS dispatched to 1020 2203. one for no insurance, two for County Rd. 114 (7:01 a.m.); speeding, one for an expired tag. Two-vehicle wreck reported at Daily activity highlights for the the intersection of Hickman BULLETIN BOAR

MONDAY, MAY 23 - River a.m.); Fight reported across stage - 6.00 feet (7:00 a.m.); from 1215 Deal St. (12:32 Coffee County EMS dispatched p.m.); Fight in progress (possi- A.R.M.S. addiction recovery minist to 9432 Hwy. 141 (7:32 a.m.); ble subject with gun involved) at Coffee County EMS dispatched the Mulberry Park (9:01 p.m.); Coffee County EMS dispatched the Mulberry Park (9:01 p.m.); to 13530 Hwy. 87 (11:28 a.m.); Coffee County EMS dispatched Disturbance reported at a residence on Putnam St. (5:59 p.m.) p.m.); Fight in progress (possible www.inobaptist.com. • ALCOHOL & DRUG RECOVERY SUPPORT GROUP - every Tuesday at 6 p.m. - Shiloh Baptist

patched to 11325 Hwy. 87 S.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 25 - near Smith Ave. and Herman

esty, three for criminal mischief, -mischief reported at 611 one for menacing, two for sexu- - Jackson (2:42 a.m.); River stage al abuse, one for domestic vio- - 7.18 feet (7:00 a.m.); Coffee lence, one for theft of services. County EMS dispatched to made: one for domestic violence p.m.); Disturbance (noise)

Ave, and the 203 Bypass (11:39 dence on Putnam St. (5:59 p.m.). p.m.); Fight in progress (possibly with knives) on Jackson TUESDAY, MAY 24 - River (9:26 p.m.); Fight in progress on

stage - 7.18 feet (7:10 a.m.); Jackson at the funeral home Coffee County EMS dispatched (9:52 p.m.); Disturbance to 1097 County Rd. 201 (1:14 (crowd) reported at the Elba p.m.); Coffee County EMS dis-Villas, Apt. C2 (10:55 p.m.). (5:45 p.m.); Disturbance report- SUNDAY, MAY 29 - Domestic ed at 1032 Martin Luther King disturbance (verbal) reported at Hall Burch's Trailer Park (9:17 a.m.); ELBA MINISTERIAL ASSN. Disturbance (noise) reported

reported at 1123 Guyton St.

River stage = 5.80 feet (7:41 Driggers Dr. (5:58 p.m.); a.m.); Routine activity. Possible domestic disturbance

THURSDAY, MAY 26 - River (7:16 p.m.).

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WCC to Offer

plumbing apprenticeship with one for harassment, one for County Rd. 215 (3:07 p.m.); a short course offered through unauthorized use of a vehicle Prowler reported on Lake Lee the Wallace Community and two for assault. Dr. (9:08 p.m.); Fight in College Center for Economic The following arrests were progress at 641 Jackson (9:20 and Workforce Development. and one for unauthorized use of reported at the Elba Villas evenings from June 16-July (10:17 p.m.); Possible fight in 28, WCC will offer Plumbing Traffic citations issued during progress reported on Simmons Codes. The cost to register is

• ABUSING CHEMICAL SUB-STANCES THROUGH CHRIST services - Thurs. - 7 p.m. - Ino Baptis Church. Call 565-3970 or visit th

SOCIAL SECURITY REP. ROTARY CLUB - Tuesday • ELBA CITY COUNCIL - 2nd & 4th Monday - 6 p.m.-City Hall
WATER & ELECTRIC - Tuesday ollowing 2nd Monday-6 p.m. - City

ues. - 8 a.m. Elba United Methodist GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP-every onday 6:30 p.m.-Elba Unite ethodist Church-enter on side on W. COFFEE COUNTY COMMIS-OM -2nd & 4th Monday -Community Room in Farm Center LIONS CLUB - 2nd & 4th Tues -:30 p.m. Senior Citizen Center ELBA CITY SCHOOL BOARD -2nd Tues. - 5:30 p.m. - Supt. Office • AMERICAN LEGION Tuesday of every month-7:00 p.m. Legion Hall , Troy Hwy,

MASONIC LODGE 170 - 1st & rd Monday of each month- 7 p.m.-BAND BOOSTERS - 1st Mon. m. Band Room @ Elba High Scho OFFICER - Mon-Fri. 8-12 noon & 12:30 - 4:30 New Brockton @ Farm Center Complex 894-5858

IUNTERS ASSN. - 3rd Sat. - 3 p.m -COFFEE REPUBLICAN
WOMEN - 3rd Wed. Noon- Colony * ELBA AIRPORT AUTHORITY -AARP meets every 3rd Tuesday night of the month
•ELBA ATHLETIC CLUB - 1st &

locker room
- NEW SEASONS STUDY CLUB -

Keeping faith with our military and veterans

America's men and women in housing or receive military Quality of Life Appropriations Furthermore, the new VA budg-

authorizations for levels for veterans' healthcare and survivors. It also raises families of hospinationwide. This builds on readjustment talized service- Congress's commitment to our benefits for military returning members. veterans as VA healthcare to civilian life by 26 percent, For America's spending has grown by 18 per- expanding education and trainactive duty mili- cent over the last two years. The ing benefits for Reserve persontary personnel, the overall veterans budget for nel ordered to active duty. National Defense 2006 stands at a record \$68.1 While there will never be a Authorization Act billion. provides a 3.1 per- In addition to increased our veterans for their couracent pay raise, and spending on veterans' health- geous service to our country, we

by Congressman Terry Everett dependents of deceased service-members couldstay in military approved (425 to 1) the Military ans in state nursing homes. increased travel \$1.64 billion increase over 2005 for service-connected veterans

> way to completely compensate it bolsters the max- care in 2006, the new veterans' can continually strive to proimum amount of budget increases funding for vide them with proper health-



the sparkle of the moment. But not before our memory was for- Defense Authorization Act Probate Judge William O. Gammill, along with Chief Clerk Susan Carmichael (Enterprise office) ever blessed with another great "Kodak moment" as a reminder funding America's military and Robert Edmondson (Elba office), recently received a Certificate of Achievement from Director of the many beautiful things a person has to be thankful for by living in South Alabama in the good old USA!

Bob McCurley and Associate Director Penny Davis from the Alabama Law Institute for completing the "Law for Probate Judges Course." This course was offered by the Alabama Law Institute and the stamped the aforementioned Alabama Probate Judges' Association at the University of Alabama School of Law. The course was an increase in military death bene- in-depth study of the law administered by Probate Judges in the following areas: probate of wills, fits while also authorizing the administration of estates, commitments to mental facilities, adoptions, guardianships, conservatorships, extension of the length of time eminent domain, election laws, real estate, uniform commercial code and general courtroom procedure. (from six months to a year) that This course was conducted in 10 sessions of two or three days each over the past four years.

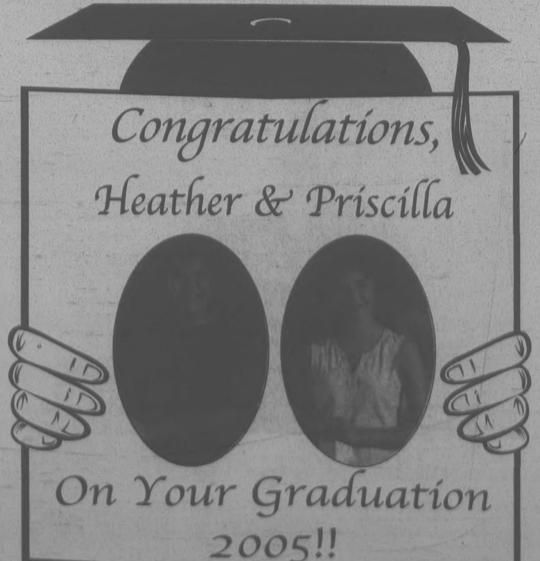
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Dear Editor,

assist in times of local disaster. Wiregrass communities for their Form.

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items organized ahead of time is over 55,000 pounds of food for elections.

nity. Have a plan; know what by the Letter Carriers, we would follows: then others. You know who they Campbell Soup, AFL-CIO, and application by mail.

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Disaster Services

In the 1990's, Elba experienced support during our Annual By helping your graduate reg- Elba, Ala., died Friday, May 27, band, Craig) Boswell, Goshen, age 89, of Druid Hills, Ga., forsome wide spread devastation. National Food Drive May 14th. ister to vote, you are empower- 2005 at Southeast Alabama Ala.; one step son: Doug (wife, merly of Elba, died Thursday, In the past, people have come Branch 1630 represents City ing this individual, showing that Medical Center in Dothan, Ala. Ida) Weeks, Elba; one brother: May 5, 2005. forward in times of disaster and Letter Carriers in Abbeville, he or she is important, and that Funeral services were held Dawson (wife, Frankie) Farris, She was born July 5, 1915 in stepped up to lend a hand. That Daleville, Elba, Enterprise, his or her vote is needed to May 29, 2005 from the Chapel Elba; two sisters: Jean (hus- Elba, Ala. to the late Scott and was wonderful and shows that Eufaula, Geneva, Hartford, maintain a people-powered of Hayes Funeral Home in Elba band, Joe) Spurlin, Beth (hus- Christine Stoudimire Lindsey. people in the community want Headland, Opp, Ozark, Samson democracy. Encourage your with Rev. Mart Gray and Rev. band, Lamar) Henderson, both She was the 12th of 17 children to help their neighbors, and Dothan. With additional special graduate to exercise his Wayne Webber officiating, of Elba; 10 grandchildren; and and was the last living sibling. However, Elba could and should help from the following cities: or her right to vote and to have a Burial followed in the Pine her best friend: Don Weeks, also Ethel met and married Mr Ashford, Columbia, voice in the electoral process. Level Community Cemetery, of Elba. Every family should have a Cottonwood, Cowarts, Gordon, Registering to vote and casting Elba, with Hayes Funeral Home Family Disaster Plan. Whether Midland City, New Brockton, one's vote gives your special officiating. you ride out the storm at home Newton, Skipperville, and graduate a voice; make sure he The Briley family request Jeremiah 'Lil Man' Hooks, Thursday, May 12, 2005 at or have to evacuate, planning Slocomb. Because of your or she speaks at the ballot box in contributions to American age 3, of Elba, Ala., died Druid Hill Church of God in ahead and having necessary efforts, we were able to collect city, county. state and national Cancer Society • 1810 Thursday, May 19, 2005, at Elba Christ of Lithonia, Ga. with

area food lockers.

This is what Red Cross' Show) and WDHN (Yolanda register to vote at the new home nieces and nephews. Disaster Services is all about. In and Jerry in making the PSA or college residence. A student cooperation with Partner and The Charlie Platt Show) may vote an "absentee" ballot GLENDA STOKES WEEKS two sisters: Dayzohnuh and able. Organizations, a plan is worked were instrumental in our success from his or her current resi- Ms. Glenda Stokes Weeks, Nina; his grandparents: Mary Survivors include her two out to meet Emergency Disaster as well as all of the newspapers dence Voter registration is easy; age 60, of Elba, Ala., died and James Coleman, Elba; sons: George Elliard and Joseph Related needs for those affected that covered our story and the it ensures anyone 18 years of Sunday, May 29, 2005 at James and Ophelia McMiller, Elliard; two daughters-in-law: The Red Cross is a volunteer Public Service Announcement, vote and play a vital role in Ala. organization made of local citi- A very special thanks to Ann Alabama's— and American's— Funeral services were held great-grandparents: Martha Harrison; six grandchildren and zens who plan, prepare, and Varnum & Charlie Platt for put- future. Give the gift of power- May 31, 2005 from the Chapel Robinson, Elba, Eloise six great-grandchildren. train for emergencies. ting us on their shows to help voter registration.

Service to Military, and Disaster Kerry, with the Wiregrass Secretary of State Services are all part of the plan. United Way Food Bank, played We are asking individuals, a huge role in the success of this Kinston civic groups, businesses, and years collection. Also an allchurches to start thinking now important acknowledgment of Elementary 4-H on how they might be part of the Food Bank volunteers, with this team. We have volunteers their help in unloading and sort- WINNERS named

All disaster training is free Wiregrass Letter Carriers ticipated in 4-H this year. They Christy Eubanks receives

way to recognize a graduate's Davis, 2nd place, (right). achievement is to give this

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young adult a life-long opportu Coffee County American Red The Wiregrass Letter nity to participate in democracy. Cross' Disaster Services is look- Carriers, Branch 1630 would This can be done with an ing for Volunteers from Elba like to take this opportunity to absolutely cost-free piece of and the surrounding area to express our thanks to the paper- a Voter Registration EARL K. BRILEY

Two easy ways to obtain a AL.

help, but it is physically beyond clerks to rural carriers and man-tion back to your county's Tiger Unlimited Club. their response capability to meet agers everyone pitched in and Board of Voter Registration. He was preceded in death by Hammond Funeral Home COGIC in Elba until 1953. After all of the emergency needs of its gave their all. The following 2) Call the Secretary of his parents mother, Sarah Briley, directing. citizens. Some people in your agencies are cosponsors of this State's office at 1-800-274-8683, and father, L. K. Briley. community will need more help event: United Ways, USPS, and request a voter registration then others. You know who they Campbell Soup, AFL-CIO, and application by mail.

Survivors include his wife: his great-grandfather, Abraham her final place of worship. Ellen C. Briley, Elba; his broth-

radio stations who ran our age and older the opportunity to Flowers Hospital in Dothan, Slocomb, Ala., Maxwell and Linda Elliard and Frances

The 4th, 5th and 6th grade er: Ollie Belle Farris, Elba; two Home of Elba. always something you can do. Raymond R. Bixby, Secretary students at Kinston School par-

JOHN DEERE

NOTHING RUNS LIKE A DEERE"

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did various activities and Distinguished Freshman entered many competitions. The following students were nore, please give us a call at The best way to honor a spe-winner in the county handbook At the recent Student Awards 347-2461. Volunteer applications are available at Elba City monogrammed towels, jewelry, Sincerely,

Cial family member or friend at graduation may not be with monogrammed towels, jewelry, or even a new car. The BEST Davis 2nd place (right)

At the recent Student Awards Poster Contest: Allison Bess, Program held on the MacArthur campus of Lurleen B. Wallace Community College, Christ Davis 2nd place (right)

> Student Award. received the honor of

cumulative GPA of 3.917. SERVICE AVAILABLE



Obituaries

Montgomery Hiway • Dothan, General Hospital.

are; they are your neighbors and America's Second Harvest. If your graduate is moving er: Dr. James (wife, Jan) Briley, great-grandfather, Jimmy Lee. ice of COGIC, she wore many WTVY (The Ann Varnum away from home, he or she can Birmingham, Ala.; several Survivors include his hats, including fundraiser, chief

of Hayes Funeral Home in Elba McMiller, Slocomb, Hillary and with Rev. Larry Doster officiat- Lovie Hooks, Elba. ing. Burial followed in the New Haven Church Cemetery with CHARLOTTE BLACKMON Hayes Funeral Home directing. Mrs. Charlotte Blackmon, age

Survivors include her moth- announced by Hayes Funeral

Eubanks was presented a Distinguished Freshman Honor

daughters: Candi Stokes, ETHEL LINDSHY ELLIARD Mr. Earl K. Briley, age 72, of Montgomery, Ala., Gena (hus- Mrs. Ethel Lindsey Elliard,

JEREMIAH HOOKS

Funeral services were held ating. The interment followed at The same goes for a commu- Although this event is hosted Voter Registration Form are as Mr. Briley has been a member May 24, 2005 at Greater New Eternal Hills Memory Garden of of Central Baptist Church in Zion Missionary Baptist Church Snellville, Ga. and where your resources are, not have had the success with- 1) Download a voter registra- Tarrant City, Ala., since his of Elba with Pastor W.L. Mrs. Elliard was a loyal, and to whom you can look for out all the different crafts within tion form at www.sos.state.al.us youth. He was an active Auburn Peterson officiating. The interleadership. Yes, the city can the Postal Service helping. From and mail the completed applica- Alumni participating in the ment followed at Evergreen the COGIC her entire life. She Cemetery of Elba with worshiped at Harris Temple

He was preceded in death by adopted Druid Hills COGIC as parents: Michael and Kristie chef, and pastors aide; always Hooks; one brother: Shemiah; faithful, dedicated, and depend-

Deborah Hooks, Gantt, Ala.; his Elliard; her daughter: Rose

She was preceded in death by 76, of Elba, Ala., died Sunday, her father, William Eugene May 29, 2005 at the Elba Farris, and a husband, Paul Nursing Home.

Arrangements will be

Honor Student Award

Christy, a Drafting and Design Technology student also President's List and holds a

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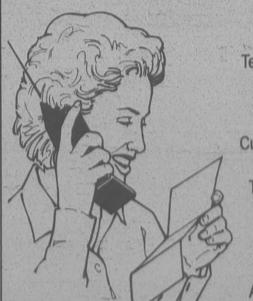
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Lyon enjoyed a little bit of

Mexico recently when Bert and

Cheryl Morrow and Andy,

Gypsy Smith and Jake Lubert

and Sammy Morrow entertained

at the Morrow home in

Sombreros, gaily striped sera-

pes and terra cotta pots over-

flowing with vivid summer

flowers created a "South of the

Border" atmosphere for a party

designed for the young wedding

The evening began with elab-

orate hors d'oeuvres served in

the beautifully landscaped back

garden. Later the guests were

invited into the family room

where tables were set with

brightly colored linens and

Mexican pottery. Fajitas were

served here as well as Bert's

specialty, Key Lime pie.

Miniature bottles of Kahlua

given a large basket filled with Kathy Howell and Mrs. Judy Brunson

host a Mexican party of their Miss Britany McCall honored with

wrapped in raffia were favors.

everything they would need to

Wedding attendants attending

King, Birmingham; Josh

Gamble, Birmingham; Lee

Williams, Birmingham;

Philding and Shanna Handley,

Columbiana, Ala.; Kevin

Barbario, Birmingham; Andy

Evans, Birmingham; Parker

Phillips, Cookville, Tenn.; and

Walton Beach, Fla.

Shannon Carnathan, Fort

Mountain Brook, Ala.

attendants' enjoyment.

Lyon honored with

Mexican Fiesta Dinner

CHURCH NEWS

PASTOR'S CORNER for June 6-10 **Rev. Stanley Carter**

Elba United Methodist Church

Navy language. For instance, the water fountain was called a "scut- to host Sonlight Youth Choir tlebutt". As the sailors would stop by for a drink of water, they would gather and engage in conversation. Sometimes the scuttlebutt Covenant Community Church The concert will feature the PRAYING FOR YOU: would be rumors or misinformation and sometimes the right infor- of Elba, Ala., will host Sonlight contemporary music of today's

Some people deliberately start rumors. Words can be damaging and can hurt people's reputations and feelings. We all know the old and can hurt people's reputations and feelings. We all know the old and can hurt people's reputations and feelings. We all know the old and can hurt people's reputations and feelings. We all know the old and can hurt people's reputations and feelings. We all know the old and can hurt people's reputations and feelings. We all know the old and can hurt people's reputations and feelings. We all know the old and can hurt people's reputations and feelings. We all know the old and can hurt people's reputations and feelings. We all know the old and can hurt people's reputations and feelings. We all know the old and can hurt people's reputations and feelings. We all know the old and can hurt people's reputations and feelings. We all know the old and can hurt people's reputations and feelings. We all know the old and can hurt people's reputations and feelings. We all know the old and can hurt people's reputations and feelings. We all know the old and can hurt people's reputations are feelings. We all know the old and can hurt people's reputations are feelings. We all know the old and can hurt people and can have been all can be all the feelings. We all know the old and can have been and proverb "the pen is mightier than the sword". This old proverb Sonlight will be in concert Clay to Switchfoot bringing April Pearl Carpenter will be Pastor Sylvester reminds us of the power of words. James in his epistle tells us that Monday, June 13. The local spiritual meaning to their words Annie Pearl Carpenter our Christian witness is worthless if we cannot keep a tight rein on youth band from Covenant will and melody -providing a our tongues (James 1:26). James also tells us that the tongue is full perform at 7 p.m., and Sonlight refreshing approach to worship of deadly poison (James 3:8).

As Christians we should build up one another. We should never Everyone is invited to attend with a song in their heart. say anything that will hurt or harm another person. James tells us and admission is free. that "with the tongue we praise our Lord and Father, and with it we Directed by DJ Head, higher-energy, uplifting concert the Master said curse men, who have been made in God's likeness" (James 3:9). Sonlight provides the music for on June 13th. The concert will I want you to be my child Putting a rein on the human tongue is hard to do but in order to Trinity's main worship service be held in the brand new Remember, I'll take care of you information call: (334)670please our Heavenly Father, it is something we must work at. Jesus every Sunday with more than 75 Covenant Community Church whatever betides. told us to love one another by treating one another with kindness.

Mann Kirkland Singers to be in concert rolls, technical support, and For more information, call the Your burdens will get heavy at Haw Hill Assembly of God

Haw Hill Assembly of God The featured group will be the Church will sponsor a gospel Mann Kirkland Singers. singing Friday, June 3, begin- Everybody is invited to Bible School June 5th - 9th ning at 7:25 p.m.

Medical Coding Class Offered



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For More Information or to Register, Please Call: (334) 493-3573, ext. 5360 or 5344 r is the official policy of the Alabama State Board of Education and Lurleen B. Wallace Commun-College, a Postsecondary-Institution under its control, that no person shall on the grounds of ra-color, disability, gender, religion, creed, national origin, or age be excluded from participation in,

Westside Bible School planned

Westside Baptist Church is The theme will be "Beach | planning Vacation Bible School Blast". This event will be for for June 6- 10. The hours are children 4 year olds - 6th grade. from 9:00 A.M. - 12:00 Noon

When I became a Navy Chaplain it took me a while to learn the Covenant Community Church of Elba 5:22-29

will perform at 7:30 p.m. music that has people leaving LEAN AND DEPEND OF Knight Family of Elba.

voices. All the instrumentalists building located at 2667 Believe in me, trust in me and soloists are middle and high Hickman Avenue across from I'll walk by your side group of teens in leadership Schools.

sound and multimedia produc- church office at (334) 897-2288. Your hills will get hard to climb Johnson, Tuscumbia, Ala.; Basin Baptist Church to hold Vacation Temptations will come before Belcher, Montgomery, Ala.,

Basin Baptist Church will ages 3 - 6th grade. hold Vacation Bible School June For more information or a 5th - 9th from 6-8:30 p.m. for ride, call 897-3828.

VBS planned for June 6-10 at Jack Composed by Eria Belcher Assembly of God

Jack Assembly of God Life's Little Jungle, a week long Bible School on Monday, June 6 obstacle courses of teenage life. Friday, June 10 from 6:30 Jack Assembly of God is p.m. until 8:30 p.m. nightly. located on Coffee County Rd. This year's children's program 208 in the Jack community. All is Kingdom of the Son, a week area children and teens are invitof prayer safari adventure. The ed to attend. teens' course of study will be

Camp Meeting to continue at Gospel Dally Boys of a stow at some Latestack Elba Church of God

Camp Meeting will continue Local and out of town singers for June 12 at New Hope Baptist Church at the Elba Church of God. will minister nightly. Visitors

New Hope Baptist Church of 6:00-8:30 p.m. Join the ram-Services starts at 7:00 PM are welcome to worship with the New Hope Community on bling road trip which includes Tuesday through Friday with Pastor Ron Stallard and the Elba County Road 114 will be hold- Bible Study, crafts, music, different speakers every night. Church of God members.

Deadline For Church News Is Monday!

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ABOUT WITH ERIA 897-2006

p.m. at the Elba High School

Auditorium. For more informa-

tion call (334)670-0628 or

***HARVEST IS COME

will be Pastor Sylvester

Robinson-Richmond Hill, Ga.

Special music will be by The

Admission is free. The confer-

Without Walls Ministries locat-

***PERSONAL- Alan Belcher.

Rogers, Tuskegee, Ala., Rev.

Commencement Exercises at

Enterprise, Ala. on May 26.

Today is a good day! Be grate-

(912)877-3230.

***THINKING OF YOU,

Youth Choir of Trinity United youth presented as a vehicle for Buford Coleman, Rayfield is Melvin Knight; guest speaker

Methodist Church in the message of God's love and Coleman, Nettie R. Hogan, for Friday Night, June 24-7:00 performs songs from Jars of Grayer, Rev. Charles Lane, Hinesville Ga. Sunday, June 26 -

Make plans to attend this Lean and depend on me Jesus, ence will be held at The City

ed on Hwy. 331, Troy. For more 0628, (334)897-5152 or (912)877-3230. school students with a dedicated the entrance to the Elba City Lay your head on my shoulders Camenda Cox, and William I'll be your guide.

Joyce B. Johnson & Otis Minister Robert Edwards, Opp, So on this Christian journey Keep me Jesus on your mind. Ala., Christopher and Kira Ernestine Kelley, Evelyn There will be stones you cannot Manning and Eria L. Belcher of

Elba Ala, attended the I'm the way, the truth, and the Enterprise High school Lean and depend on Me. Bates Memorial Stadium.

***"GOSPEL MUSIC SUM-MER FEST" - June 25 6:00

Church will be hosting Vacation lesson in swinging through the Sasser Mill Assembly of God to host Gospel Singing

Sasser Mill Assembly of God Birmingham, Ala. The church is will be hosting a Gospel Singing located on Hwy 141 S. in Sat. night, June 4 at 7 p.m. This Brantley, Ala. Everyone is invitevent will be leaturing the ed.

Puppet Show & kick-off for VBS scheduled

ing Vacation Bible School June recreation and lots of other fun.

A puppet show and VBS Classes are for all ages. Kickoff will be June 12, 2005 at Everyone is welcome. For more 5 p.m. Vacation Bible School information call 735-5408. classes, June 13-17, will be from

TAYLOR HILL COMMUNITY

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Annual Crocker Science in Business covered dish and/ or a beverage. Mrs. Johnnie F. Driggers, and held June 12

Reunion will be held Sunday, employed with an accounting June 12, from 12 Noon-Until at firm in Atlanta. for anyone arriving early.

Family members enjoying the evening were Elbians, Jake Lubert and Sammy Morrow, Harriette Boyd, Maggie Dean Boyd and Amorette Helms. John and Shari Lyon drove from Knoxville to be with Grant and Vaughan and their friends. Special guests were the delightful young sons of the Morrow family, Jake, Charlie Mr. McKnight & Miss Lindsey Christmas Omament Party Lindsey-McKnight held for Vaughan Boyd, wedding planned bride-elect of Grant Lyon for August 27th

During the Christmas season

unusual ornaments, both antique

The bride-elect is the grand
Driggers, Diane English, Beth One tree stood untrimmed and daughter of Jerry & Fumiko Henderson, Theresa Kelley, as the ladies arrived their gift

Flowers of New Brockton, Ala.

Judy Killingsworth, Janet King, as the ladies arrived their gift ornaments were placed on its branches. The tree itself was a gift to Vaughan from the host-

A sumptuous tea table was set Fla. She is a 1999 graduate of Smith, Ceina Spicer, Jean in the dining room so the many Daleville High School, Spurlin, Vicki Stinson, Jumelle Attending from Knoxville Laude in 2003 with a Bachelor's

Prattville, Ala., who will be the presently employed with an maid-of-honor, attended. Also accounting firm in Atlanta, Ga. The Parker family reunion length. attending from out-of-town attending from out-of-town of Floise Pines & the will be held Saturday June 11. Hannah is the granddaughter were Mrs. Pat Williams and grandson of Eloise Riner & the 2005 beginning at 10 a.m. at the of Clarence and Margie Wood of were Mrs. Pat Williams and late Dupree Riner of Chamblee, Mrs. Sonya Helms, both of Ga, and Nell McKnight & the Ala.

Farm Center in New Brockton, Coffee Springs and Loyd and Ala.

Betty Driggers of Elba, Ala. late Gerald McKnight of The reunion will be held for She is the great-granddaugh-Hostesses were: Mrs. Lynn late Gerald M. Weeks, Mrs. Christina Dothan, Ala.

Anderson, Mrs. Pam Baker,
Mrs. Susan Barnes, Mrs. Valerie

Peter Parker of North Carolina, and the late Mr. Vertice J.

Parkview High School, Lilburn, who settled in modern day Basin

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Ale the late Mr. vertice J. Moore and Mrs. Gloria University, Magna Cum Laude 1820. Administration; graduated Cum Reunion to be Laude in 2004 with a Master's of Accountancy. He is a brother

the Masonic Lodge, located on the airport road in Elba. The lodge will be open by 10:30 a.m. for anyone arriving early.

The wedding is planned for Saturday, August 27, 2005 at 6:00 p.m., at the Mountain Brook United Methodist Everyone is asked to bring a Church, Stone Mountain, Ga. A covered dish. Drinks, ice, paper reception will follow the ceregoods and meats will be provid-courthouse, Lawrenceville, Ga.

Athens, Ala. announce the

Carolyn Moates of Enterprise, Charles Yeager of Athens, Ala. Bates of Decatur, Ala.

The future groom is the

He has earned a B.S. degree in University of Alabama.

of Saturday, July 9, 2005 at 2 o'clock in the evening at First Pictured seated-Miss Britany McCall-honoree; standing L-R: Mrs. Vaughan and Grant were Mavis Davis, Mrs. Janice McCall, Mrs. Kaye Whitworth, Mrs. Baptist Church of Athens. A reception will follow at First Baptist Church Family Life Center. All friends are invited.

miscellaneous bridal shower on May 22 included: Courtney and Scott Many friends gathered at the cellaneous bridal shower honor-McCrory, Birmingham; Chris lovely Highland Drive home of ing Miss Britany McCall, bride-Bushby, Birmingham; Kelly Mrs. Kaye Whitworth for a mis-elect of Mr. Jonathan Howell, on Sunday afternoon, May 22, 2005. The front door was decorated with an elegant wreath fashioned from vines and adorned with a swag of spring flowers. Mrs. Whitworth and Mrs. Kayron Shehee greeted the guests and presented them to Miss Britany McCall, the hon-

er of the honoree; Mrs. Kathy

Howell, mother of the future

groom; Mrs. Mavis Davis,

Brunson, aunt of the honoree. six years old

were served from a table cov- Children's Hands on Museum in illustrations of some of the Hayley Hall, Jacie Hall, Trey ered with a beautiful white downtown Tuscaloosa, Ala. learning activities in pre-school Harrison, Hunter Harrison, Batenburg lace cloth. An elegant The Strawberry Shortcake classes, dances with internation- Caroline Hataway, Katlyn arrangement of mixed spring party theme was utilized for the al themes, dances with "things"- Hataway, Regan Hawthorne, Jo Ann Lindsey of flowers accented the table, birthday cake, table cloths, nap- from maracas and tambourines Baylee Holley, Samatha Vaughan Boyd was guest of honor at a Christmas ornament party at The Olde South Inn.

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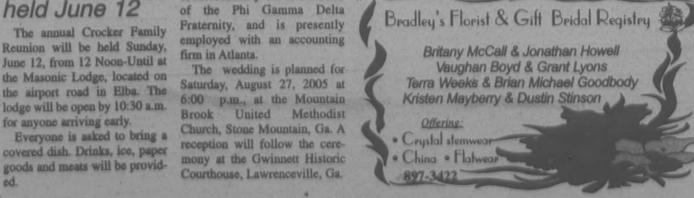
Jo Ann Lindsey of the Colde South Inc.

Kins, balloons, and party favors.

Refreshments included cake, ice dances that are classics in the appointments. Similar floral arrangements were used to spoons and canes- and a set of dances that are classics in the history of tap. The Ballet Class Tyler Jaynes, Molly Johnson, arrangements were used to spoons and canes- and a set of dances that are classics in the history of tap. The Ballet Class Tyler Jaynes, Molly Johnson, arrangements were used to spoons and canes- and a set of dances that are classics in the cream, snacks, and juice.

Attending from Knoxville was Shari Lyon, the groom's mother and from Crossville, Tenn., his grandmother, Julia Storey. Jamie Dorsett of Science in Business Administration; graduated Suma Reunion planned was born Tuesday, May 3, 2005 at Flowers Hospital in Dothan, Ala. She weighed 5 pounds 15 ounces and was 19 3/4 inches in

> He is a 1999 graduate of Peter Parker of North Carolina, and the late Mr. Vertice J. Ga.; graduated from Auburn Community in Coffee County in Ala., the late Mr. and Mrs. the late Mr. and Mrs. Louie



Miss Bates and Mr. Moates to be united in holy matrimony July 9th

engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Essie Brook Bates to Samuel Carol Moates, son of Tom and

LIFESTYLES

The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Cherry and the late and Lois and the late James She earned a B.S. degree in English Education at Auburn

grandson of Carol and Rue Marler of Elba, and the late Harris and Anne Moates of Enterprise

Physical Education at The The wedding will be an event



maternal grandmother of the Harper Blount is

Guests were then directed to the Harper Blount, daughter of Celebrating the theme, Mackenzie Dusek, Ragan registry table, which held a vase Stephen and Tiffany Harper LEARN TO DANCE-DANCE Fleming, Jessica Foley, Magen of lavender Altrocheria Lilies Blount, turned six years old on TO LEARN, special attention Foley, Gabby Folmar, Sadie and was attended by Mrs. Beth May 18, 2005. She celebrated is given to a selection of music. Franklin, Brandi Gatlin, Emily Henderson, cousin of the bride- her sixth birthday with friends, that is basic to a dance student's Glass, Molly Gooden, Gabby her little brother, John, and other education. Dainty party refreshments family members at the The program will include Ansley Hall, Hillary Hall,

party at the Olde South Inn.

The inn's reception rooms

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the birth of their daughter, Bethany Wilson, Ashleigh Kayla Young.

the descendants and relatives of ter of Ms. Ollie Ruth Hickman Melton Wood of Ino in 2003 with a Bachelors of Attendee's should bring a Community, the late Mr. and

Bradshaw of Elba.



Mr. Moates and Miss Bates

The Dorothy Rainer Sellars School of Dance presents "An Evening of Dance 2005"

An Evening Of Dance, 2005 Adams, Marci Bess, Emily to be presented in the Opp High Boothe, Brittany Boyd, Bailee School Auditorium Friday and Boyd, Madison Buckelew, Saturday evenings, June 3 and 4, Mallory Bush, Amber Butler, is the fifty-second annual pres- Sierra Carpenter, Alayna Cook, entation of the Dorothy Rainer Nicole Cook, Hannah Cooke, Sellars School of Dance. Kasi Cravey, Merrill Ann Showtime is 8:00 o'clock. Culverhouse, Lauren Davis, Students performing are from Brooke Dillard, Lauren Andalusia, Brantley, Dozier, Donaldson, Krysten Dorsey, Elba, Enterprise, Florala, Mychal Drew, Rachel Driver,

Kinston, Samson, and Opp. Holley Driver, Audrey Driver,

guests who called could enjoy tea and a leisurely visit with the honoree, her local and out of honoree, her local and honore

Grace, Alana Hall, Ashley Hall, The inn's reception rooms were elaborately set with all the sights and sounds of the holiday season. Fresh greenery and flickering candles graced the triple mantels, and tall Christmas trees were laden with unusual ornaments, both antique

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Hostesses for the occasion will perform a "Salute to Degas" Tyler Jaynes, Molly Jones, Chelsey Jones, Che Lady) and Trippy McGuire. Haley Norris, Tori Norris, Hope "An Evening of Dance" is Northey, Caitlin Pearce, Kayla presented annually as a contri- Pierce, Kelley Pearce, Kelley bution to the cultural life of the Piland, Kaitlyn Richardson, area. There is no admission Flemming Rodgers, Amelia Roeser, Alaina Shepard, Abby Students performing are: Sara Smith, Dalis Smith, Clancy Bane, Meredith Brunson, Stanfield, Ali Taylor, Maggie Shelby Brunson, Katelyn Taylor, Sarah Thompson, Paige

> THE BUREAUCRATS FIGURED OUT HOW TO BALANCE THE



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SCHOOLS

picture into the story and continued on to finish the story as they pleased...

"Hey Carrie, do you like this After the recital, Mrs. part of the recital?" Susan whis- Gammal approached the girls.

girls watched the recital with

"Girls, what was all the commo-

girls did not know that Mrs.

"Well, I don't think you all

Reflections upon seeing a picture

by Casey Medlock and Kayla Kelley

As part of a writing assignment for their English class, some eighth graders were required to look at a random picture passed out to them and write a story concerning the photo. This is one of those assignments that has the potential to rack your brain...there are so many things one can write about the picture that he or she is unable to actually write anything. The result of this assignment almost always contains a

Two students, Cortlin Lee and Andrew Head, wrote stories that stood out from the rest of their class. Each student incorporated their

used to love me, who used to tell my mind like cars on a highway.

me it was okay when we had What was I going to do? I was a

As I walked around the ceme- was Susie sobbing. She ran and

could I have done to stop him had squeezed the life out of me.

Alabama Youth Council on who always tagged along. The brother Tim before he was cashier to whom I was referred

teachers always told me that I shipped off.

terbeans, and tea all waiting on the bed.

onstage and apologized for their the dance class to the party. The Susan, nor Rebecca would ever

Upon arriving, all I could hear

I remembered that day long ago it is okay. I know you want to Tim and Mom. God, how

it was tearing me all up inside, up inside me. Why cry? I had brother more than at any time in "Joe, it will be okay. He would done enough crying for the both the past. But right now, every-

I never really had a father. He I wanted to cry like a baby with- about the next morning, I imme

left when I was four and Tim was out a momma. At this point in diately ran downstairs and said,

eight. So Tim was the closest my life, thoughts of suicide "You have to take me straight to

thing I had to a father. Tim was began to creep into my mind, the bank." She asked no ques-

athletic and funny and all things I But this wasn't really an option - tions. When we got the bank, I

wished I could have been. But I had to take care of Susie. It was asked for somebody to help me

made me mad, but not mad that she had with her when she inquired, "What is the account

enough to dislike my brother. suffered her fatal heart attack. number and what is the pass-Not for a second, a minute, an They gave me her gold watch word?" I responded with the

hour, a day, could I not like my and a white sheet of paper. The numbers from the white sheet of

brother, even if I tried my best. gold watch had been handed paper, "Three-one-five-nine, and

at this point. After Tim passed women. As for the sheet of me right to the safe deposit secon, we were financially broke. paper, I had no idea what it tion of the bank and opened the

foreclosing on our farm. What ing for me on the old Ford pick- their face. I asked, "How much

he had married one day before her know if I ever needed any thousand dollars." I almost faint-

being sent off. She had been bro- thing. I told her okay and she ed, and when I gained my senses

ken up inside worse than me or started up the truck. That ride I could not recall a time in my

my momma. They had been from the morgue was probably entire life when I felt such relief.

sweethearts since high school. the longest I had ever taken to When we left the bank, I instruct-

bread, fried chicken, turnips, but- upstairs, and fell right down on After getting to the cemetery, I

the table for me. Something That night I experienced a life- laid the red roses by his grave

must have been up, because changing dream. I dreamed that and told him, "Thanks." After

frankly, we were poor and did Tim had come up to me and said, that I figured I had enough not have enough money to eat "If you look a little closer, it will money to pay the bank what I

like this. As I went into the come to you." I immediately owed them and maybe still have

kitchen I saw my mother lying woke up, trying to replay the enough left to fix up the farm. I

on the floor. I ran to quickly dream again and again in my still think to this day about my

check her pulse. There was mind. I though about it until brother Tim and my mother

none. I immediately picked up finally, it all came together in my enjoying themselves in heaven.

the telephone and dialed 911. mind. For the rest of the night I Maybe someday I will get to see

Diamond necklace given to E.E.S. student's mom

When the ambulance arrived just sat there and thought about them again.

When I got back from the my home. When we got there I ed Susie to take me to the flower cemetery my mother had corn- just looked at the food, ran shop and then to the cemetery.

Life at home was really awful down as family heirloom for the Tim is the password." She took

simply asked, "What can I do for

searched until I found him. I



Tiger **Editors:**

Casey Medlock & Kayla Kelley

L.H.S. Student Spotlight

by Kayla Kelley

This week's student spotlight belongs to Miss Ashley Bailey. Ashley is the 14-year-old daughter of Dave and Nelda Bailey. As an eighth grader at EHS, Ashley is involved in many things. She participates in Jr. Beta, FBLA, FFA, FCCLA. SGA and is a majorette for the Elba Marching Tiger Band. In her spare time, Ashley enjoys playing volleyball and

basketball, cheering, twirling

and swimming. Ashley's future

plans are to finish high school

and transfer to the University of

in three words, she would being chosen as this week's stuchoose friendly, caring and out- dent spotlight!

Mr. Grant said. "Now pay atten-Alabama.

If she could describe herself

Congratulations, Ashley, on her pulse. One of them shook his head and said, "She has passed, head and said, "She has tion and don't make me come walked back to his chair and the graves of lost soldiers. I looked, Joe." I did not need to hear any-

Elba High holds Senior Honors' Day program

Note: The following informa- scholarship.

Senior Honor Graduates: scholarship. Cameron Irwin, Lyndsay Jessica Merklin was awarded the DAR Good Citizen. Lawford, Kristin Barnes, Anna a scholarship from the Taylor McGuire was selected from going off to Vietnam?" But She whispered into my ear, "Joe, Harrison, Mallory Allen, University of West Alabama the EHS Good Citizen. Rebecca English, Cornelius and Judson College Wright, Justin Williams, Kaleb The Troy Club Elba Chapter Bryant-Jordan Foundations the telegram. She told me, when But I did not. I kept it bottled also felt as though I missed my Dyess, Bradley Bane, Ashley awarded scholarships to Alison Scholar Athlete Award. Gibson, Alison Smith, Jennifer Smith, Taylor McGuire and Evan Tew received the Bryant-Grissett, Jessica Merklin and Carmeisha Wright. Jordan Student Achievement have wanted you to be happy that of us when Tim passed. I han thing was in place.

Gibbs, Cameron Irwin, Grissett and Clark Skinner. Kristin Barnes and Taylor Lyndsay Lawford, Kristin EDSCO employee scholar- McGuire were the 2004 Boy Allison Brunson, Justin and Adam Waddail Memorial Kristin also participated in the instead, I was the little brother a promise I had made to my with a certain account. The bank Foushee, Kevin Hays, Kaleb Scholarship. Dyess, Bradley Bane, Ashley Josh Miller received the First HIV Education and Prevention. Kristi Spinks, Brittney Clark Scholarship.

ships: Kristi Spinks, Clark and Justin Williams. Gibson, Jennifer Grissett, ship.

Troy Univerity scholarships: Dyess, Anna Harrison, Brittney Aruz (Navy). Alison Smith, Ashley Gibson, Clark, Cameron Irwin, Adam Justin Williams received the Justin Williams, Anna Spicer and Jesse Schultz. John Phillip Sousa Award. Harrison, Kaleb Dyess, Mallory Allen and Bradley Greta Robinson received the Carmeisha Wright and Bane were the Wendy's Directors Award of Band. Mallory Allen and Cameron recipients of the United States plaque of appreciation in honor Irwin were awarded scholar- Army Scholar Athlete Award. of his dedication and support ships from the Coffee County Kaleb Dyess was a Coca Cola of Elba High School Athletics. Chapter of The University of "Share the Dream" Alabama Alumni Association Essay Contest Finalist.

and also the Wiregrass Chapter Ashley Gibson and Military Comptrollers, received the Alabama Cameron Irwin also received Association of the Toledo Molding and Die Secondary School

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"No, it is so boring, they are tion about while I was speaknot even dancing. Mrs. Gammal ing?" is just talking about what we Susan shamefully exclaimed,

have done this year." Carrie "We were talking while you replied as she tried not to fall were onstage. I'm sorry." The "Shh...don't you two know Gammal had been planning a that if you get caught talking, party for their dance class, then you both will have to sit out depending on their behavior durof dance class for two weeks?" ing the recital.

"Rebecca, quit trying to be a should be able to attend the party teacher's pet for once. I know I was planning for the you think this is boring, too. class...unless you all apologize Mrs. Gammal is not going to to the class for talking during the catch us talking," Susan show." The three girls walked

"She may not catch you talk- behavior during the show. girls learned a valuable lesson at disrespect Mrs. Gammal or anying, but I just caught you all!" Mrs. Gammal invited all of the recital that day. Carrie, one else ever again.

and looked, and looked until more. I went flying out of the finally, I saw him. By "him" I door and did not stop running. am referring to the person who Questions were running through

Jessica Merklin, Alison Smith,

Senior Ambassador members

tion was designed to be accom- Ashley Gibson was awarded a Jessica and Mallory Allen panied by photographs, scholarship from Troy were the nominees of the thunderstorms, the person who country boy who flat out broke. Unfortunately, a disc error pre- University Dothan. She Robert C. Byrd Honors taught me all the sports I know When I was exhausted from runvented the pictures from being received a journalism scholar- Scholarship and received the how to play. That person was my ning, I came back to the house. ship from Troy and the Farm City Outstanding Youth brother, Tim. Alabama Grocers Association Awards for Coffee County. Mallory Allen was selected tery, I pondered to myself, "What grabbed me so tight I thought she

Mallory Allen received the when my mother first received cry." Brittany Clark National Security scholar- Award and AL Vocational he is in a better place now." dled it the manly way, but really When I head Susie rumbling

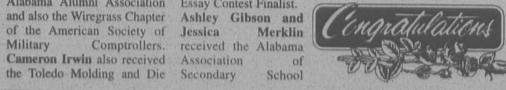
Barnes, Anna Harrison, ship went to Jesse Schultz, and Girls State participants. Mallory Allen, Rebecca Adam Spicer received the Earl They were also the Alabama English, Taylor McGuire, McCollough Memorial Award Youth Summit participants. Gibson, Alison Smith, Jennifer Baptist Church Eris Paul Band Completion awards was not as smart as Tim and When I went to the morgue, you?" After I told her of my

Grissett, Jessica Merklin, Sunday School Class went to Carmeisha Wright, would not amount to much. It they gave me Mom's possessions mother's death, she then Elba Rotary Club scholar- Justin Williams, Samuel Enterprise - Ozark ships went to Kristin Barnes, Pulliam, Kristi Spinks and Community College scholar- Ashley Gibson, Cameron Irwin Greta Robinson.

Skinner, Ashley Gibson, Aaron Kristin Barnes received the included Jennifer Waters, Anna Harrelson, Cornelius Wright, Cash Brothers Leasing Auburn Harrison, Kaleb Dyess, Adam Spicer and Lance Sutley scholarship and the Alpha Jennifer Grissett, Taylor Lurleen B. Wallace Upsilon Chapter of Alpha McGuire, Bradley Bane, Kristi Without him as a farmhand and meant. The number "three", deposit box. I looked inside the Community College scholar- Delta Kappa scholarship. Spinks, Lyndsay Lawford, making money at the sawmill, "one", "five", "nine", and Tim's box and found two stocks and ships: Ashton Grimes, Will Barnes received a Melinda Dodd, Brittney Clark we had nothing except the shirts name were written on it. When I bonds, both from 1862 and val-Carmeisha Wright, Ashley Big/Little Stores Inc. scholar- and Jessica Merklin. Jennifer on our backs. The bank was left the morgue Susie was wait- ued at one hundred dollars on

Waters received the Brittney Clark, Bradley Bane, The James Gibbs Memorial Ambassador of the Year award. was I going to do? We even had up truck. She assured me things are these worth apiece?" She Reese Stricklin, Curtis Scholarships went to Mallory Military awards went to to support Susie, Tim's wife who were going to be okay and to let responded with, "One hundred Rushing, Trent Baker, Yalonda Allen, Kristen Barnes, Lyndsay Marquez Tyson (Alabama Reynolds and Jessie Thigpen Lawford, Bradley Bane, Kaleb National Guard) and Carlos

Heisman EHS nominees and Ryan Gibbs was presented a



Wallace Community College offers Stress Managment Seminar

The first and the property of the first and the first and

ment seminar Friday, June 10, with the Tuskegee University The essay was entitled, "Why from 8:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. The Cooperative Extension my mother deserves a diamond course is designed to help Program, will share ideas on necklace." This was a way of

> stressors in your life. The seminar will be held in her mother. the LPN auditorium on the In the end, the essay winner Wallace Campus in Dothan. was announced as Sage Kelley. Continuing education credit is Sage is in Mrs. Wilson's 5th available. For information about grade class. His mother, Mrs.

Small Ads Work...

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fees and registration, contact Dana Kelley, was awarded a Connie Shepherd at (334) 556- diamond necklace from Reed's Jewelers in Dothan.

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Sage Kelley wrote an essay worthy of winning his mother, Dana The necklace was rewarded to Kelley, a diamond necklace. The necklace was awarded by Reed's

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SCHOOLS

Elba High School holds Honors Day program for grades 7-11



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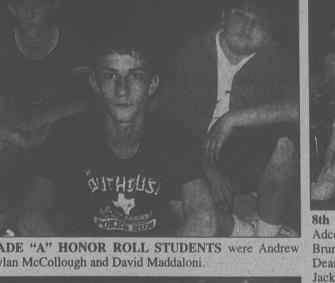


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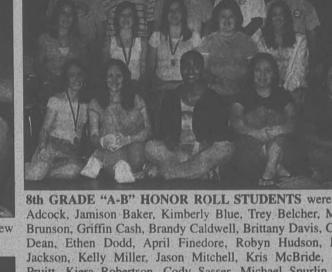
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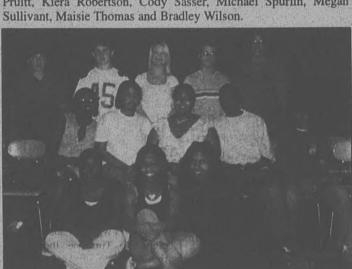
Head, Dylan McCollough and David Maddaloni.

9th GRADE "A" HONOR ROLL STUDENTS were April Price

and Trey Martin.



Brunson, Griffin Cash, Brandy Caldwell, Brittany Davis, Cynricka Dean, Ethen Dodd, April Finedore, Robyn Hudson, Michael Jackson, Kelly Miller, Jason Mitchell, Kris McBride, Shanika Pruitt, Kiera Robertson, Cody Sasser, Michael Spurlin, Megan

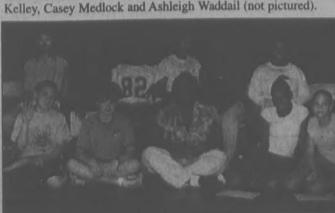


Anderson, Colt Anderson, Matthew Brunson, Ashley Carpenter, Erika Daniels, Aaron Harrelson, Cordel Hooks, Gucci Hudson,



10th GRADE "A" HONOR ROLL STUDENTS were Chase W Boutwell, Brianna Bailey, Katie Cash, Melanie Mularz, Christina





STUDENTS WITH PERFECT ATTENDANCE were 7th grade -Ethan Carpenter, Zachery Gilbert, Amber Hood, Lyndsay McClung, Keithren Rashad Rodgers and LaTanda Tyson; 8th grade - Kolera Burrows, Quenton Caldwell, Francine Dixon and Tempest Parker; 9th grade - Ericka Daniels, Justin Hammonds, Cordel Hooks, Tiffany Johnson and Tatiana Parker; and 10th grade - Rob Allen.

MORE 7TH-11TH HONORS DAY PICTURES NEXT WEEK IN THE ELBA CLIPPER!!!



Adcock, Jamison Baker, Kimberly Blue, Trey Belcher, Meredith Kimberly Blue and Melanie Mularz.



Tiffany Johnson, Shamba Jones, Kayla Miller, Tatiana Parker,



10th GRADE "A-B" HONOR ROLL STUDENTS were Anna Petty, Antwon Tillis, Brian Blair, Emily Driggers, Jason Johnson, Whitley Kilcrease, Eric Butts, Whitney Bailey, Wesley Calhoun, Adam Henderson, Chafin Johnson, Kelekia Magwood, Ryan McCollough, Tracie Spinks, Chris Boutwell, Ciarra Burrows and



Whitfield, Hunter McGuire, Shawanna Wright, Trey Grantham, and Jamey Greek (honorary). Amanda Mauldin, Timothy Jackson, Elena McCormick, Tambra Oliver, Gale Olson, Amber Pike, Amanda Pope, Kendall Stinson, See Next Week's Paper for More Honors Day Pictures! Summer Stricklin, Judson Vaughan and Rae Walker.



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Views From.... THE PRESSBOX

By Ricky Mularz, Sports Editor

School has been out for less than a week, but at the Mularz the honored list were Zion Robby Evans, junior, Florala; house we are already working on a set of rules for the summer Chapel's Josh Smith and Josh Smith, senior, Zion Chapel; and a few of the first rules put in place included cleaning bed- Kinston's Garret Parker. rooms and making the beds before leaving the house, washing Smith, a senior, posted a 6-4 Methodist; Brett Birdsong, senand drying dishes before going to bed at night and washing record on the mound as the ior, Abbeville Christian. Player clothes before the sun goes down. While the rules will lead to a Rebels' #1 pitcher and recorded of the Year - Nick Davis, senior, lot less stress for the girls and parents, I won't betcha a dime they 124 strike-outs in 75 innings G.W. Long. Coach of the Year won't get broken at least a few times before threats have to be while posting a 1.21 earned run Earl Miller, G.W. Long.

FOR WHAT IT IS WORTH....

*** Elba's Stephanie Baxley was named to the South All-Stars College, in Brewton. for the upcoming North-South All-Star Softball Series at Parker, a junior, batted 493 to Justin Williams, junior, Carroll; Huntsville, and the junior pitcher will get the chance to show lead the Bulldogs and knocked Michael Precise, senior, fans and coaches from all across the state just how good she is in 22 runs while scoring 8 runs Geneva; Rhett Barnes, sophowhen she takes the field against the best juniors from Alabama. and recording 8 stolen bases. more, Opp; Daniel Holder, sen-Baxley has won over 20 games in two of her three seasons as the Following is the complete list ior, Rehobeth; Josh Sowell, sen-Lady Tigers' starting pitcher and this past season struck out 387 of this year's small school ior, Headland; Jamey Padget, batters in 221 innings and posted an earned run average of 0.79. "Super 12" selections: While the Lady Tiger standout will be tested by the state's best, Daniel Trawick, senior, G.W. Andrews, senior, Slocomb; Matt she does have history on her side since Elba's Chasity Williams Long; Wes Windham, senior, King, junior, Slocomb. Player of Stephanie Baxley and Melissa Mularz both played in the all-star series and both Geneva County; Michael the Year - Matt Sullivan, senior, brought home MVP awards and continued their careers in col- Albares, junior, Houston Daleville. Coach of the Year lege. Yep, it looks like the Elba girls have already proven they Academy; A.J. Howard, sopho- Chuck Walker, Daleville. are among the best in the state and Baxley should have a real shot at continuing that rich tradition.

*** The three county schools all participated in spring football games over the past few weeks with both Kinston and New of annual "Black and Gold" game high school all-star series Brockton posting wins. The Bulldogs from Kinston used a tough defense to post a 6-0 win over McKenzie, while the Gamecocks The Elba Tigers concluded 105 yards rushing and 4 touch-Wicksburg, but showed a new look and showed it still had a few Gold" intra-squad game and of 11 passes. Trey Davis added team is Elba pitcher Stephanie Baxley. kinks to work out. All three county schools have solid football Coach Scott Rials stated he was 41 yards on 8 carries from his Baxley, a junior, posted a 23-10 record during the 2005 season schools have to be looking forward to next season.

team. The team, sponsored by the Elba Recreation Department, competes in the Dixie Pre-Majors baseball program for boys of the Dixie Pre-Majors ba ages 15-16 and has a 31-game schedule. The team has already during spring drills and we got a Rodgers had 2 catches for 31 Kiwanis Sportsplex, beginning at 6:00 PM. played eight games and competed in one statewide tournament, lot accomplished in a lot of yards and Chafin Johnson had 1 and there is little rest ahead. Players on the team are from Elba, areas. We had most of our skill catch for 9 yards. The Black

winding down and that means the all-star tournaments cannot be make certain we had our offenand let them know they had successful seasons even if they are place and set. We found out we quarterback Jacob Forbes, who not picked for the all-star teams. The key to athletics is for have some good young players completed 5 of 10 passes for vomigsters to compete and have fun, and whether or not they ready to step in and battle in the 250 yards and 4 touchdowns. make all-stars should not take away fro m that experience.

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Smith and Parker named to "Super 12" baseball team

The Dothan Eagle announced more, Houston County; Matt its "Super 12" high school base- Peters, senior, Wicksburg; Clay ball team last weekend and Thomley, junior, Wicksburg; included among those named to Garret, Parker, junior, Kinston;

average. At the plate Smith bat- "Super 12" large school selected .383 with 3 home-runs, 23 tions: rbi's and 8 stolen bases. He has Mason Meredith, junior, signed a baseball scholarship Northview; Michael Matherly, with Jeff Davis Community senior, Enterprise; Robert

Elba's Rials pleased with results

Brooks, junior, Enterprise;

offensive and defensive line and Frank Morris led the receivers receivers and a camp for the Burks led the Gold in rushing linemen. We will work hard on with 48 yards in 8 carries, folconditioning throughout the lowed by LaRay Williams with chance to be a pretty good foot- Forbes with 4 yards on 3 carries.

up for a game." The Black outscored the Gold Chase E. Boutwell with 7 stops 32-27 in the annual spring game and Stefaun Burks with 3 tackand was led on offense by quar- les and 1 interception. terback Brandon Kelley with

Baxley and Mularz are statistical leaders for 2005 Lady Tigers

LaRay Williams with 8 tackles,

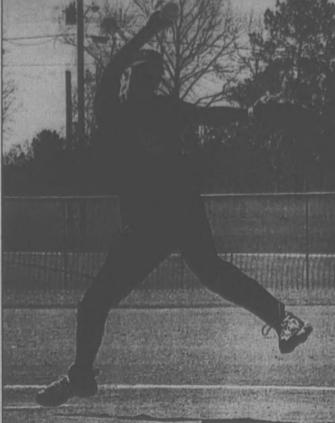
The Elba Lady Tigers com- Following are team leaders in pleted the 2005 high school soft- individual statistics: ball season recently with a 23-3 record and a seventh place OFFENSIVE STATISTICS finish at the Class 2A state tour- BATTING AVERAGE pitching rubber by junior Whitney Lawford .189. Stephanie Baxley and at the TOTAL HITS

Mularz. and faced 840 batters in 221 18. innings of work. The hard- RUNS SCORED and posted a 0.79 earned run Mularz 17, 4. Stephanie Baxley Stewart.

average, while striking out 387 16, 5. Whitney Lawford 15. Mularz missed three weeks of DEFENSIVE STATISTICS action early in the season with a FIELDING PERCENTAGE torn thigh muscle, but came on 1. Melanie Mularz .923, 2. strong late in the season and led Whitney Lawford .919, 3. David Ashley, Ron Joyner, and preferred groove, Jason was the team with a .333 batting Stephanie Baxley .899, 4. Jacob Permenter. average. Mularz collected 28 Kristen Barnes .833, 5. Yolanda Kevin Peel, starting ninth, had home another winner's trophy. hits in 84 at-bats and also led the Reynolds .786 team with 26 singles

caution before claiming another In the Coyote Feature, Jimmie ELBA CITY POOL IS OPEN FOR SUMMER

TUESDAY - FRIDAY 12:00 - 6:00 | Lane. Ater was second, fol- able to maintain the lead after SATURDAY SUNDAY 1:00 - 5:00 | Sam Smith was back in fourth, and Clay Segars fifth.



Elba's Baxley named to South squad for annual North-South

from over at New Brockton downed Headland 8-0 and played spring football practice recently downs on 11 carries and 130 in the ninth annual Alabama All-Star Sports Week on July 11-15 in just as hard as always. Zion Chapel struggled in a 22-0 loss to with the annual "Black and yards passing as he completed 5 Huntsville were announced last week and included on the South

programs and after good spring drills all the fans at all three pleased with the team's progress fullback position, while Relle and led the Lady Tigers to the Class 2A state tournament. Baxley in the three weeks of workouts. Kelley gained 16 yards on 2 carpitched a total of 221 innings and allowed only 25 earned runs on "We didn't do a lot of work on ries and Mason Gulley gained 83 hits and 45 walks and struck out 387 batters. The hard throwing *** One of the busiest bunch of youngsters around the county this summer have to be the players on the West Coffee baseball te in the heat at the intra-squad the intra-squad

Coaching the South will be Wren Aaron, of Gulf Shores and Karl Smeltzer, of St. James, with Susan Barnes, of Elba, serving as the Zion Chapel, New Brockton and Kinston, and by the time the people back from last season defense was led by Ryan administrative coach. Team members include (Infielders) Dorothy season winds down these guys should be more than ready for the and that resulted in more team McCollough with 4 tackles, Knapp, Demopolis; Kala Moore, Verbena; Beth Spear, Auburn; work than usual during the Cory Miller with 3 tackles and Jenny Stevens, Jackson; Courtney Barber, Alabama Christian; *** In closing... the youth baseball and softball seasons are spring as we worked hard to Trey Davis with a fumble recov- Whitney Barrett, Wetumpka; Eric Pierce, St. James; (Outfielders) Angela Cassady, Satsuma; Katie Harris, Oak Mountain; Leslie far behind. I once again urge all parents to support their children sive and defensive looks in The Gold offense was led by Winberg, Daphne; (Pitchers) Brooke Ross, Wetumpka; Holly Baldwin County; (Catchers) Haley Houston, Thompson; Kerri Ivey,

> Coaching the North will be Randy White of Addison and Dan also found some depth at other with 3 catches for 112 yards and DuBose of Oak Mountain, with Kent Chambers, of Bob Jones servpositions. We know we still 2 touchdowns, while Ron Hill ing as the administrative coach. Team members include (Infielders) have a lot of work to do before pulled in 1 pass for 70 yards and Erin Rae Duke, Munford; Courtney Terry, East Lawrence; Cameron the season rolls along in August. 1 touchdown and LaRay Skates, McAdory; Jenny Young, Bob Jones; (Outfielders) Kalia However, we have a couple of Williams caught 1 pass for 68 Tinker, Brooks; Andrea Taylor, Vestavia; (Pitchers) Andrea Palmer, camps lined up for the backs and yards and I touchdown. Stefaun Waterloo; Sara Beth Medley, East Limestone; Tiffany Burks, Gardendale; Laura West, Sparkman; Ashley Pratt, Bob Jones; Beth Lawson, Hazel Green; Caitlin Lee, Clay-Chalkville; Anna Thompson, Grissom; (Catchers) Kristina Prater, Athens; Whitney summer and I think we have a 1 carry for 18 yards and Jacob Schrimsher, Sparkman and Maggi Eades, Clay-Chalkville.

ball team the next time we line it The Gold defense was led by Teddy Sasser wins 40-lap Vintage feature at South Alabama Speedway

South Alabama Speedway first two laps before giving up held a special 40-lap feature for the lead to Chad Roberts. its Vintage class Saturday night. Roberts led the next 17 laps Teddy Sasser took the lead on before Smith eased by on the lap 16 and went on to win the inside. Smith then pulled away extra distance race.

early lead from the pole position lowed by Michael Walding, with Sasser on his bumper. The Rudd, and Ray Hudson. races only caution flew on lap It was a race between brothers

the win. Greg Adams came from laps to go, John left a slight the fifth starting spot to finish opening on the inside and Jason second. Adams was followed by seized the opportunity. With the

to run down early leader Randy Gardner held on to third, fol-Herrick with out the aid of a lowed by Tim Peters and Stokes. Modified Feature win. Herrick Hager grabbed the lead on the jumped out to a comfortable second circuit and went on to lead early while Pell was fol- pick up the win. Hager survived lowing Jamie Ater through traf- a three wide battle for the lead, fic. Peel moved past Ater for gaining a big advantage as his second on lap ten and took the competitors got crossed up. That I lead two laps later. Once out advantage was wiped out with a I front, Pell cruised to Victory lap nine caution but Hager was lowed by Herrick. Terry Malone the yellow period. Max Nelson

Hammond fifth.

Victory Lane after the Street Stock Feature. Jeff Rudd led the to his fourth win of the season. Jason Windham grabbed the Roberts held onto second, fol-

13 and Sasser pulled up tight for in the Roadrunner Feature. nament, and official statistics 1. Melanie Mularz .333, 2. the restart. When the green flew, Charles Gardner took the lead released last week by Coach Stephanie Baxley .283, 3. Sasser began to look of r a way from the pole and led the first David Collins revealed that the Ashley Carpenter .241, 4. past the leader. That opportunity three laps before John Lady Tigers were led on the Yolanda Reynolds .236, 5. came three laps later. Sasser Singletary took control. moved inside of Windham to Singletary had plenty of compatake the lead as Windham's ride ny up front with Gardner. plate by sophomore Melanie 1t. Melanie Mularz 28 and fell off the pace. Sasser held a LaDunn Stokes, and brother Stephanie Baxley 28, 3. Yolanda commanding lead that he Jason all challenging him for the Baxley, a three-year starter Reynolds 25, 4. Ashley wouldn't surrender. Matt front spot. Jason Singletary for the Lady Tigers, posted a 23- Carpenter 21, 5t. Whitney Culbertson was several car moved into second on lap 13 10 record as Elba's #1 pitcher Lawford 18 and Krystan Parker lengths behind Sasser when the and the brotherly war was on. checkers fell. Kip Whitehead The siblings ran side by side for moved from seventh starting several laps, swapping the lead throwing right-hander allowed 1. Yolanda Reynolds 19, 2. spot to finish third. Duane Bates back and forth. John, on the only 83 hits and 25 earned runs Ashley Carpenter 18, 3. Melanie was fourth, followed by Steve inside, had the slight advantage and was finally able to pull In the Super Stock Feature, ahead of his brother to grab the Jamie Ater led all 20 laps to take top spot. However, with two

able to grab the lead and take

was fourth with Damon finished second with Aaron Nelson third, Ben Baxley

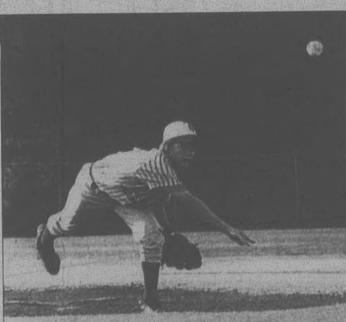
SPORTS



A Zion Chapel softball player makes a stop in recent Dixie Ponytails action at Hawkins-Williams Park.



in recent action in Coach-Pitch baseball at Hawkins-Williams Park.



action in Dixie Boys baseball at Legion Field.

Picking the right time to go fishing can be based upon many ideas

With spring time upon us, with his fly or go fishless.) folks everywhere are beginning When the breeze is from a to get interested in fishing. westerly quarter rather than Many people in the Wiregrass from the north. do not need spring time to fish. When the water is still or rip-beginner swimming lessons on person. To register call the They simply need an open day pled, rather than during a wind. June 6-10 at the City Pool at Recreation office at 897-6833 of and they are "gone fishing."

We have had several calls to is new and continuing through the Extension office related to the day it is full. the popularity of fishing in our What People Fish For in habits, when fish feed, low tide, Sportfishing Association): high tide, etc. The following information was compiled from The Old Farmer's Almanac and the American Sportfishing

Best Times to Fish (The Old Farmer's Almanac): One hour before and one hour after high tides, and one hour d/steelhead/striper 5% before and one hour after low Walleye tides. This is true even for freshwater fish.

During "the morning rise" (after sunup for a spell) and "the 1 hope these pointers and evening rise" (just before sun- information will be of help to down and the hour or so after). you in your outdoor activities.

When there is a hatch of

When the barometer is steady We have also had several or on the rise. (But, of course, inquiries about pond informaeven in a three-day driving tion. If you have any questions northeaster, the fish aren't going related to ponds, call our office to give up feeding. Their hunger at 894-5596 or you can contact clock keeps right on working Mike Newman at the and the smart fisherman will Department of Conservation at find something he wants). 347-9467.

Trout

Catfish

Crappie

Perch

Salmon

All species 9%

Bream 6%

have to match the hatching flies

Plenty of action as season heads down home stretch in youth baseball and softball leagues

The Elba Department of Parks and Recreation continued its youth paseball and softball seasons last week with plenty of hits, runs and action in each and every game. Following are last week's highlights:

COACH PITCH BASEBALL

Giants 16 Cardinals 11 - The Giants outscored the Cardinals 16-11. Tanner Hudson, Avery Hanchey, Matthew Marler and Ty Stewart all scored 3 runs for the Giants, while David Bryant scored 2 runs and Tyler Hobbs and Hayden Chandler both scored 1 run. Talon Flowers scored 3 runs for the Cardinals, while Tydree Sistrunk and Kenneth Neil Amison Amison both scored 2 runs and Logan Davis, Tripp Hudson, DaQuan Jordan and John Morgan all scored 1 run.

Giants 10 Cubs 7 - The Giants claimed a hand fought 10-7 win over the Cubs. Michael Parrish scored 2 runs to lead the Giants, while Avery Hanchey, Matthew Marler, Ty Stewart, David Bryant, B.J. Free, Peyton Wilkerson, Hayden Chandler and Tyler Hobbs all scored 1 run. Cavoseaa Stinson and Denzell Thomas both scored 2 runs for the Cubs, while Jordan Kidd, Shawn Carter and Harley Sanders all scored 1 run.

Thomas and Harley Sanders both scored 3 runs. Stone Collins, Hawkins-Williams Park. (Laura Baxley photo) Trinton Smith, Shawn Carter and Jacob Smith all scored 2 runs and Troy Funk, Issaih Kyles and Jordan Kidd scored 1 run each. Levi Morgan and Braxton Robinson both scored 2 runs for the Cardinals, scored 1 run to lead the Gray, while Steven Petry added 1 hit. hile Logan Davis, Chance Johnson, Grant Akridge, Kenneth Neil Zion Chapel Red 11 New Brockton Gray 0 - The Zion Chapel Amison, DaQuan Jordan and Tanner Skinner all scored 1 run.

DIXIE MINOR BASEBALL

Elba Marlins 6 Zion Chapel Red 5 - The Elba Marlins scored the Edwards had 2 hits to lead New Brockton. winning run with one out in the final inning to ease past the Zion Elba Gold 23 Zion Chapel Gray 0 - The Elba Gold scored runs in Chapel Red 6-5. Hayes Spicer, Hayden Disotell and Ashton Senn every inning to post a big 23-0 win over the Zion Chapel Gray. both had 1 hit to lead the Marlins, while Logan Bailey and Tyler Bradley Wilson pitched a no-hitter and struck out 11 batters in five Bobbit both scored 2 runs and Mason Davis and Jordan McDaniel innings to lead Elba on the mound, while at the plate Dylan scored 1 run, each. S. Stephens had 2 hits and scored 1 run to lead McCollough had 3 hits and scored 5 runs, Andrew Head had 2 hits Zion Chapel, while D. Mobley added 1 hit and scored 1 run, B. Schindler and N. Sanders both added 1 hit and E. Lott, J. Golden

Bradley Wilson and Colton Vaughan both had 1 hit and scored 3

Bradley Wilson and Colton Vaughan both had 1 hit and scored 3 and T. Black all scored 1 run.

Elba Reds 23 New Brockton Cardinal 6 - The Elba Reds pulled Rick Johnson both had 1 hit and scored 1 run and Jesse Dodd had 1 ahead early and never looked back in a 23-6 win over the New hit Brockton Cardinal. Harry Griffin had 3 hits and scored 3 runs to lead the Reds, while Austin Johnson added 2 hits and scored 3 runs. DIXIE ANGELS SOFTBALL Nathan Miller had 1 hit and scored 4 runs, Jon Ashley Amison and Kyson Edwards both had I hit and scored 3 runs, Chip Curtis had I Samson 16 Elba Blaze 11 - Samson pulled away late to down the hit and scored 2 runs, John Gray and Aquante Jones both scored 2 Elba Blaze 16-11. Tori Crews and Heather M. both had 1 hit and runs and Justin Kidd scored 1 run. Dylan Clarke had 1 hit to lead scored 3 runs to lead Samson, while Erin Bowden and Victoria H. New Brockton, while Christian H. scored 2 runs and Regan Little, both scored 2 runs and Summer H., Caitlyn K., Marie B., Hannah

DIXIE YOUTH BASEBALL

Elba Gold 6 Zion Chapel Red 5 - The Elba Gold pulled ahead Zion Chapel 11 Elba Blaze 10 - Zion Chapel rallied late to early and held on late to defeat the Zion Chapel Red 6-5. Bo outscore the Elba Blaze 11-10. Malloree Holloway had 1 hit and Wiggins and Jeremy Duncan both had 2 hits and scored 1 run to lead scored 1 run to lead Zion, Chapel, while Heather Blitz, Taylor, the Gold, while Gunnar McCollough added I hit and scored 2 runs, Hudson, Hannah Goodson and Markell Senn all scored 2 runs and Seth Hanchey and Cameron Johnson both had I hit and scored I run Whitney Rugg and Cheyanne Nelson both scored I run. Morgan and Brantson Bowers had 1 hit.

DIXIE BOYS BASEBALL

New Brockton Cardinal 12 New Brockton Gray 2 - The New Brockton Cardinal pulled ahead early and then pulled away to down the New Brockton Gray 12-2. Brandon Lee had 3 hits and scored 2 runs to lead the Cardinal, while Jerry Weeks added 2 hits and scored 3 runs, A.J. Johnson had 2 hits and scored 1 run, Anthony Bryant Kinston 7 Elba Jammers 1 - Kinston led all the way to defeat the had 2 hits, David Stinson had 1 hit and scored 2 runs, Solomon Elba Jammers 7-1. Sara M., Ashley S., and Brittany M. all had 1 hit Harris had 1 hit and scored 1 run and Jonathan Kelley had 1 hit. and scored 1 run to lead Kinston, while Bethany H. added 1 hit and Austin Bryant and Seth Culverhouse both had I hit and scored I run Erika R., Cara S., Courtney B. and Darrian D. all scored I run. to lead the Gray.

Elba Gold 12 Elba Black 2 - The Elba Gold led all the way in a big Elba Blues 9 Samson 8 - The Elba Blues pulled ahead early and 12-2 win over the Elba Black. Colton Vaughan had 2 hits and scored held on to edge past Samson 9-8. Jacquetta Whitfield had 1 hit and 2 runs to lead the Gold, while Dylan McCollough, Andrew Head, scored 3 runs to lead the Blues, while Jamie Griggs added 1 hit and Bradley Wilson and A.J. Johnson all had 1 hit and scored 2 runs. scored 2 runs, Cortnee Driggers added 1 hit and scored 1 run, Michael Spurlin had 2 hits to lead the Black, while Aaron Drewery Brianna Jackson had 1 hit and Sidney Crittenden, Katlyn Calhoun had I hit and scored I run and Ryan Pope added I hit.

A Brantley pitcher brings one to the plate in recent Zion Chapel Red 16 Zion Chapel Gray 6 - The Zion Chapel Red Rivera both scored 2 runs for Samson, while Lisa Holly, Gabby scored runs in bunches to outscore the Zion Chapel Gray 16-6. Money, Sarah Jenkins and Samantha Miller all scored 1 run. Lance Walden had 2 hits and scored 3 runs to lead the red, while (Laura Baxley photo) Matt Brunson had 2 hits and scored 2 runs, Justin Winters had 1 hit and scored 4 runs, Ethan Mount had 1 hit and scored 2 runs, Kendall Chapell had 1 hit and Weston Brown and Nathan Bagwell both scored 2 runs. Tanner Grant and Robbie Thrash both had 1 hit and

By, Stan Windham County Extension Coordinator flies—caddis flies or mayflies, commonly. (The fisherman will June 6-10 at Elba city pool

The Elba Department of Parks Lessons will be from 10:00 until and Recreation will sponsor 12:00 daily and will cost \$10 per Starting on the day the Moon Hawkins-Williams Park. the pool at 897-0555.

Sixth annual Boll Weevil golf tourney area (from new residents), fish Freshwater (American set for June 16 at Tartan Pines

> Enterprise-Ozark Community may purchase two Mulligans at College will host its Sixth \$5 each. Cash prizes will be Annual Boll Weevil Golf awarded to the top three gross Tournament at Tartan Pines Golf and net teams. Prizes will be Club on Thursday, June 16, awarded for "closest to the pin" 2005. The format will be a four- and "longest drive" winners. For person scramble with a 1:00 pm more information contact Dr. shotgun start. The entry fee of David Chalker at Carp/muskie/panfish/pike/sha \$75 per player includes free dehalker@eocc.edu or (334) range balls, green & cart fees, 347-2623 x 2235. door prizes and dinner. Players

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IT WITH OUR READERS!!



Cubs 21 Cardinals 10 - The Cubs outscored the Cardinals 21-10. A Giants player looks back to make sure he has his foot Cavoseaa Stinson scored 4 runs to lead the Cubs, while Denzell on the bag in recent Coach-Pitch baseball action at

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runs, A.J. Johnson had 1 hit and scored 2 runs, Taylor Cotton and

A Cubs batter takes a mighty swing and makes contact

Grady Whitaker, Chase Henley and Marquis Neal all scored 1 run.

C. and Tara M. all scored 1 run. Morgan Matthews had 1 hit and scored 2 runs to lead the Blaze, while Emily Hudson and Brinley Williams both scored 2 runs and Mandi Mallory, Ty Carpenter, Chelsea Spann, Brittany C. and Shae Sams all scored 1 run. Matthews had 2 hits and scored 1 run to lead the Blaze, while Chelsea Spann added 1 hit and scored 2 runs, Paris Person had 1 hit and scored I run, Mandi Mallory had I hit, Emily Hudson and Maggie Johnson both scored 2 runs and Shae Sams and Chloe

Simmons both scored 1 run. DIXIE PONYTAILS SOFTBALL

Molly McGuire had I hit and scored I run to lead the Jammers. and Elisa Dewberry all scored 1 run. Leahann Mullins and Kristen

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through her friend Robert

Burch, clinical professor emer-

itus of medicine at Tulane, and

his wife Lillie Margaret Burch.

who represented Dorothy

Ryder at the investiture cere-

Hamm, an expert on kidney

diseases and hypertension, joined the Tulane faculty in

1992. Four years ago, he was appointed director of the

Tulane Hypertension and Renal

Hamm chairs the American

Heart Association Council on

the Kidney and Cardiovascular

Center of Excellence.

Tulane University invested

nephrologist Lee Hamm in the

A. Rudolph and Ruth Ryder

Huberwald Chair in Medicine.

Hamm is a professor of medi-

cine and physiology and chief

of the nephrology and hyper-

tension section in the Department of Medicine of the

Tulane University School of

A native of Elba, Ala., Hamm

graduated from Auburn

Iniversity and received his

medical degree from the

University of Alabama, fol-

owed by an internship, resi-

dency and postdoctoral fellow-

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seniors accepted into the honors program at the University of South Alabama (USA). Levi graduated the son of Lotuce and Elizabeth lished the Huberwald Chair and received a merit award Monday, May 30, from the Alabama School of Math and Science in Mobile, Ala. He is the first student Miles Hamm, formerly of Elba. endowment fund to memorial from the NIH. He also received from Zion Chapel to graduate from this prestigious school. He plans to attend the University of South Through the legacy of the ize her sister Ruth Ryder an American Heart Association Alabama in the fall. Levi is pictured above with his parents, Sue and Scotty Brown (right) and USA late Dorothy Ryder of New Huberwald and brother-in-law Established Investigator president Gordon Moulton (left).

(Continued from Page One)

· leave of absence for the School

approved for continued service Tuesday's called meeting.

SERVICE AVAILABLE

worker at New Brockton High this week urged Alabama con- of the consumer reporting com- Unfortunately, many identity bama.gov. 2005-06 school year for Gina • Teresa Kunkle - lunchroom federal law that gives them the their requests throughout the aware of the fraud until they Price, ARFI Reading Coach worker at New Brockton High right to receive one free credit course of the year. The following support per- The board also gave the nod the three major consumer Alabamians to take advantage score. This new federal protec-

On June 1, 2005 Alabamians gives consumers a chance to to be proactive by making sure First, the board approved the will be able to access the infor- review their credit reports to that the information on their • Carolyn Archie - nurse at bid for the re-roofing project at mation on their credit reports by determine if the reports include credit report is correct and by Zion Chapel Schools for going to www.annualcreditre- fraudulent or incorrect informa- taking action now to correct any • Janie Cullifer - lunchroom \$135,790.37 pending the con- port.com, by calling 1-877-322- tion. Such information may incorrect or fraudulent informaworker at Kinston School tractor attains all the required 8228, or by mailing and annual indicate that consumers have tion on their reports." * Janet Holmes - lead nurse at documentation for the project. Credit Report Request Form to become victims of identity theft. For more information on what New Brockton Elementary This project primarily was Annual Credit Report Request If consumers do discover incor- to do if you become a victim of required because of damages Service, Post Office Box rect information on their identity theft, you may contact • Shelia Brown - lunchroom incurred from a hail storm earli- 105281, Atlanta, Ga. 30348- reports, they have the right to the Attorney General's con-

> at New Brockton After a lengthy discussion www.familyprojection.ala- information through a variety of IDTHEFT. The Office of regarding the New Brockton bama.gov.

sumers to take advantage of a panies at once, or to stagger theft victims don't become report each year from each of Attorney General King urges down because of low credit sonnel were recommended and on several bid approvals during reporting companies. of this opportunity because it tion gives consumers the ability

> 5281. A link to the credit reports dispute the incorrect informa- sumer protection hotline toll-Board members also website can be found on tion on these reports. approved bids for a dishwasher Attorney General King's Family "Identity thieves obtain con- or the Federal Trade Protection Unit website at sumers' financial and personal Commission at 1-877-

ship in nephrology at Parkland Disease. He currently is an Lee Hamm Memorial Hospital and the investigator on several research University of Texas Health the inaugural holder of the grants sponsored by the Orleans, Hamm was invested as A. Rudolph Huberwald. Her Award.

apply for a loan and are turned

and Ruth Ryder Huberwald Chair in Medicine

Alabama Attorney General urges consumers to obtain free credit report Attorney General Troy King request the reports from all three and establish good credit. www.familyprotection.ala-

> WCC to Offer Domestic Violence Seminar for **Healthcare Professionals**

Healthcare workers face increasing responsibilities in eporting domestic violence. The Wallace Community Workforce Development Division is offering a one-day continuing edu-

cation seminar aimed at assisting professionals in decision making. Friday, June 24, Abbeville Attorney and Nurse Gwen H. Dagian will discuss free by calling 1-800-392-5658 "Domestic Violence & the Role of Healthcare The seminar will be held in means, from stealing their mail Consumer Affairs is a part of



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shooting estranged wife

A weekend shooting in the He said evidence indicates the

According to Coffee County from that residence. Sheriff Ben Moates, the incident The sheriff said the victim, occurred on Coffee County Evelyn Carpenter, age 43, was Road 345. He said the Elba able to walk a short distance Police Department dispatch across a field to the residence on received a 911 call at approxi- County Road 349 where the secmately 11:30 a.m. Sunday, June ond 911 came from and EMS 5, with the caller advising he personnel was dispatched.

Sheriff's Department personnel was Charles Carpenter, age 45, arriving on scene, Moates said of 221 County Road 345, Elba, the victim made her way to a Ala. He was placed in the residence on County Road 349. Coffee County Jail under a The victim was later transported \$10,000 bond.

General Hospital.

ening wound. of medical treatment, the victim a perimeter. was not able to give a complete The Coffee County Sheriff's

made by Charles Carpenter

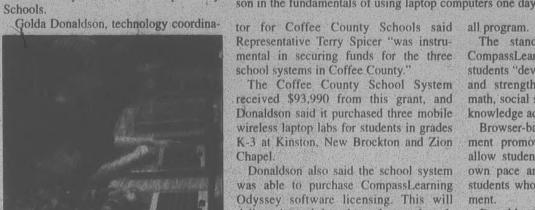
Prior to Coffee County domestic violence first degree

from this residence by Coffee According to reports, the vic-County EMS personnel to Elba tim is the estranged wife of the

Moates said the victim suf- Moates said the .22 caliber fered a gunshot wound to the rifle believed to be used in the right forehead; however, it was shooting was recovered at the not believed to be a life-threat- County Road 345 residence.

Carpenter surrendered him-"The complete cause of the self to Sheriff Moates shortly altercation is still under investi- after the sheriff arrived on scene gation." Moates said. "Because while other deputies established

statement as to the events of the Department is continuing the investigation of this incident.



Husband arrested after | Coffee County Schools purchase mobile laptop labs

The state of the s

by Linda Hodge, Editor

Computer literacy continues to grow Shady Grove community of victim was shot in the yard of among children, and local school children Coffee County resulted in the the residence on County Road now will have the opportunity to broaden arrest of one person and the hos- 345. The initial 911 call was their computer skills thanks to a grant recently secured for the three school systems within Coffee County.

The State Department of Education has agreed to grant \$400,000 from 100 percent state at-risk funds for the local school sys-

The funds were granted through an agreement for the purchase and implementation of a web-based supplemental read-reading curriculum to improve individual student achievement in Elba City Schools, Coffee County Schools and Enterprise City

laptops, and seemed to catch on quickly. ment among students because of this over- 2005-06 school year.



Students in Mrs. Nolin's class at New Brockton Elementary School got a quick lesson in the fundamentals of using laptop computers one day last week.

Representative Terry Spicer "was instru- The standards-based curriculum of mental in securing funds for the three CompassLearning Oddyssey is said to help school systems in Coffee County." students "develop a foundation for literacy The Coffee County School System and strengthen reading, language arts,

received \$93,990 from this grant, and math, social studies and science skills and Donaldson said it purchased three mobile knowledge across content areas." wireless laptop labs for students in grades Browser-based curriculum and assess-K-3 at Kinston, New Brockton and Zion ment promote differentiated instruction,

Odyssey software licensing. This will ment.

allow students to move forward at their Donaldson also said the school system own pace and provide opportunities for was able to purchase CompassLearning students who need remediation or enrichdeliver the web-based supplemental read- Donaldson said training for teachers

ing program used by the school system. with this new program will be held this Donaldson said she believes the school summer, and the supplemental reading pro-The students were excited to receive the system will see more individual improve- gram will be implemented during the

17 individuals charged in recent Zion Chapel School incident

those involved with this inci- stolen. chief deputy of the Coffee Williams said

ly were two different groups paper in the hallway. by Linda Hodge, Editor thank the City of Elba for the donation of a 1994 Crown because officials had to work to ing.

June 6, by offering a bit of fire chief Greg Lee said nearly ities, Williams said those taken from this office. appreciation to the town's \$4,000 was raised through a involved broke into and burglar- One set of keys belonged to ual turned himself in on criminal mischief second (footemployees and volunteers. fundraiser held last month for ized the science building which the driver's education vehicle in Monday of this week. All have ball field); unauthorized use of a Mayor Charles Cole was the fire department. He thanked houses the home economics which Williams said the vandals been released on bond. assisted by Councilman Johnnie the people of New Brockton for classroom. He said items such drove the vehicle onto the foot- As for the other six suspects, e Jeremy Sanders, age 18 Herron in presenting the supporting that fund raising as cake mix, flour, cheese and ball field cutting "doughnuts" they are under the age of 18 and criminal trespass second; tokens of appreciation after Town clerk Annette Williams According to Williams, the cake said not only was the field's

on behalf of the recreation board Those recognized included and expressed an appreciation to

chief of the police department." department retroactive to May After Grimes presented the 17th with a 90-day probation. department's monthly report on Cole told council members traffic citations and criminal the flood mitigation grant appli-

hamburger meat were taken. from one end to the other. He

enforcement officials answered was parked tightly between two ever, he said they are still wait- ties, and they will handle those many questions of "what will be buildings. The buses were also ing damage reports from the dridone" when 17 individuals were used as targets during the shoot- ver's education vehicle and the "Our investigation is over," notified of various criminal ing of paint ball guns, football field. The concession stand at the The investigation of this inci- tion has been turned over to the "We feel pretty confident we baseball field was broken into dent began Saturday morning, district attorney's office, and

have identified and charged with all kinds of food and drinks May 21, after officials were they will have it from here." notified of the destruction. Williams did say his office dent," said Myron Williams, Through the investigation, Williams said it took quite a bit feels confident it can prove each

of time as offi- case. County Sheriff's Department. it was deter- "Our investigation is cials worked The pending charges from the Williams said it seems the mined that the over," said Myron through all the incident included: incident began as a senior class initial prank prank but grew into something was to involve was to involve williams, chief deputy information g a t h e r e d inal trespass second; two counts much more. That something pulling desks with the Coffee wanting to be of burglary third (science buildbecame a long list of criminal activity.

Sometime during the late became a long list of criminal from class-rooms into the hallway; how-beartment.

Sheriff's sure to correctly charge rectly charge those individing the late became a long list of criminal from class-rooms into the hallway; how-beartment.

Sheriff's sure to corriccession stand); unauthorized use (bus);

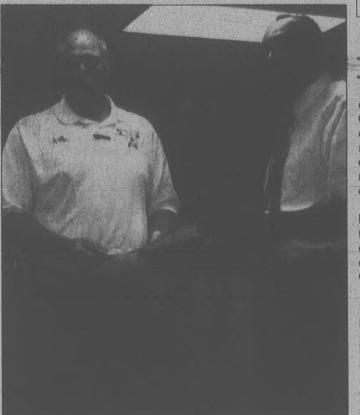
Brian Beasley, age 19 evening hours of Friday, May ever, he said information has been uals involved. criminal trespass second; bur-

20, and the early morning hours once inside the of Saturday, May 21, a group of school build- to Williams, building/school); (science and ransack members for stand);

Williams said there apparent- the place by throwing books and the Class of 2005, Two others • Whitney Stevens, age 19 involved which resulted in the Officials also found where School in 2004 and the final glary third (science building); varying charges for all involved. someone had defecated a trash suspect was a 10th grade stu-He said this also made the can, placed it in a classroom and dent. investigation more difficult turned the heat up before exit- He said warrants were signed counts of burglary third (science

for the arrest of the 11 adult sus-building/concession stand); The New Brockton Town Victoria police cruiser to New determine who was responsible Williams said the principal's pects late Wednesday, June 1. 10 • Jason Sanders, age 18 for what in the case. office was burglarized. He said of the 11 warrants were execut- criminal trespass second; crimi-Among the vandalizing activ- a painting and some keys were ed by Friday, June 3, and nal mischief third (paint ball

glary third (science building);



New Brockton Fire Chief Greg Lee was one of the many employstudents and former students of ing, it seems trict attorney's office, 14 of the 17

• Hayden Osborn, age 18 ees and volunteers honored by the New Brockton Town Council Zion Chapel Schools seemingly the vandals and they will have it people criminal trespass second; three during Monday evening's council meeting. Above, Lee accepts a entered the school campus decided to tear certificate of appreciation from council member Johnnie Herron. under a fence on the side of the

New Brockton Town Council recognizes town employees

Council began the month of Brockton. June meeting Monday evening, In other departmental reports,

employees and volunteers with event.

investigation/arrests, Mayor Cole said he wanted to publicly

being recognized during the said Jody Stuckey called earlier mix, flour and cheese were grass damaged, but several

members of the Christmas the street department for work Parade and Pageant committees; completed at the ball field. employees and volunteers of the Council members officially police, fire, street and water accepted Monday evening the departments. Each council resignation of street superinmember thanked the employees tendent Tony Bloodsworth. In and volunteers for their hard the same motion, the council work and dedication to the also appointed Jasen Caradine Town of New Brockton. as the new street superintendent "We appreciate the mayor and with a 90-day probation, as well

city council for standing behind as, the full-time employment of us I said Dale Grimes, assistant Lee Bloodsworth to the street

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thrown on the floors in the sprinkler heads were broken. considered juveniles. Williams Williams said the sheriff's said petitions were signed Nearly two weeks after van- Two school buses were taken, department has received some Friday, June 3, regarding their dals left their mark at Zion and Williams said one was driv- cost estimates from the school charges. Those petitions were

Chapel Schools, local law en into a ditch while the other board-regarding damages; how- turned over to juvenile authori-Williams said. "All the informa-

charged were counts of burglary third (science

graduated from Zion Chapel criminal trespass second; bur-

Williams said the final individ- gun); burglary third (school);

nal mischief third (paint ball gun); burglary third (school); criminal mischief second (football field); unauthorized use of a vehicle (driver's ed. car); • Kenna Roberts, age 18 criminal trespass second; bur-

* Lance Dickey, age 18 riminal trespass second; • Joshua Yager, age 18 - criminal trespass second; burglary third (school); unauthorized use of vehicle (drivers ed. car); criminal mischief second (football field);

· Joseph Hulgan, age 19 criminal trespass second; burglary third (school); unauthorized use of vehicle (drivers ed.

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